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### NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE OR CHANGE

The agency identified below in box 1 provides notice of proposed rule or change pursuant to Utah Code Subsections 63-46a-4(2) and (4) Please

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2.	Title of rule or section (catchline):						
Utah	Uniform Building Standar	d Act Rules					
3.	Type of notice:						
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4.	Purpose of the rule or rea	son for the change:					
The Division and Uniform Building Code Commission are proposing changes to: (1) change references from ICBO (International Conference of Building Officials) to ICC (International Code Council). ICBO has merged into ICC and codes are now published by ICC rather than ICBO; (2) make several technical amendments; and (3) implement the semi-annual proposed changes to building codes that have been approved by the Uniform Building Code Commission after review by the appropriate subcommittee.							
5.	This rule or change is a re	esponse to comment	ts by the	e Administrative Rules Rev	iew Committee.	Yes	( No
6.	Summary of the rule or change:						

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Rule Section 102- Definitions: Deleted definition of "permanently affixed to real property". Rule Section 302: Deleted some transitional provisions regarding building inspectors that no longer apply. In paragraph (2)(c)(i), changes were made to reflect that state administered examinations upon which prior licenses were granted or upon which new limited inspector licenses may be granted shall be considered as current certification until March 1, 2004. Changes were also made to reflect the name change from ICBO to ICC. ICBO was merged into the ICC. Rule Section 701: Changes were made to reflect the name change from ICBO to ICC. Rule Section 704: Changes to the International Building Code in R156-56-704 include the following: Section 310.1. This changes allows boarding houses accommodating 10 persons or less to be classified as R-3 which will allow them to build to less restrictive requirements. Section 1607.1. This is a technical amendment changing the requirement for the ability to hold live loads on decks. Section 1608.1. This is a technical amendment to correct elevations in the table for Park City and to note that actual elevations may vary from table. Section 1805.21. This amendment relaxes the footing requirements for certain freestanding buildings of less than 1000 square feet. Section 2902.1 Amendment to this section provides that if an owner places diaper changing stations in the ladies restroom, the owner must put an equal number of stations in the mens restroom. Rule Section 705: Changes to the International Building Code in R156-56-705 which only apply to certain local jurisdictions include the following: The Park City amendment was changed to also apply to the Park City Fire District, which was inadvertently left out of prior amendment. Park City and Park City Fire District: This change allows wood roof in certain applications which was not allowed by previous code amendment. Rule Section 707: Changes to the International Plumbing Code in R156-56-707 include the following: Section 202, is a technical amendment defining S-traps. Section 305.5, is a technical amendment which changes how pipes passing through footings or foundation are protected from structural settling. Section 403.1 provides that if an owner places diaper changing stations in the ladies restroom, the owner must put an equal number of stations in the mens restroom. Section 406.3 allows gravity discharge clothes washers to be directly connected to the drainage system. Section 406.4 is a technical amendment regarding the requirements for safe pans for clothes washers. Section 412.5 is a technical amendment regarding floor drain requirements. Section 417.5.2 is a technical amendment regarding the requirements for shower liners. Section 424.5 clarifies that water heater temperature settings cannot be used to temper water. Water kept at warm temperature is a dangerous health condition allowing disease growth. When tempered water is required, it must be obtained by mixing hot water and cold water. Section 502.4, is a technical amendment regarding gas fired water heaters, which coordinates the requirement with the International Fuel Gas Code. Section 504.6.2 is a technical amendment regarding relief valve discharge piping. Section 608.15.4.2 clarifies the plumbing requirements for urinals. Some plumbers have not been following the manufacturers requirements and plumbing requirements. This section makes it clear what is required. Sections 608.16.4, 608.16.4.1, and 608.16.4.1 deletes prior amendments regarding connections to automatic fire sprinklers system which is therefore going to the requirements under the published building code with the exception of clarifying the use of chemical additives. This change is the result of a compromise that has been worked on by the State Fire Marshall, the Health Department, Water Quality Department and the fire sprinkler contractors. Section 1002.4.1 is a technical amendment which deletes a prior amendment regarding emergency floor drains, thereby returning this section to the published code. Rule Section 709: Changes to the IFGC are as follows: Section 401.9 clarifies that gas meter locations must be protected from falling snow from roofs or similar types of damage. Rule Section 710: Changes to the IECC include the following: Section 504.7 prohibits heat traps in water heaters unless a means of thermal expansion is allowed. Heat traps are an energy saving device; however, certain types of heat traps are very dangerous if installed in a manner which does not allow for the expansion of water caused by the heat. If the expansion is now allowed, the expansion could crush critical parts of the water heater, which is damaged could cause carbon monoxide to be released into the living area of a home. Rule Section 711: Changes to the International Residential Code in R156-56-711 include the following: Section R202, a definition for S-trap is added. Section R301.4, is a technical amendment changing the requirement for the ability to hold live loads on decks. Section R403.1.4, is an amendment relaxes the footing requirements for certain freestanding buildings of less that 1000 square feet. Section P2801.7 deletes seismic bracing of water heaters in certain areas of the state which have low seismic risks. Section G2411.9 clarifies that gas meter locations must be protected from falling snow from roofs or similar types of damage. Rule Section 712: Changes to the International Residential Code Section R156-56-712, which only apply to certain local jurisdictions include the following: The Park City amendment was changed to also apply to the Park City Fire District, which was inadvertently left out of prior amendment.

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16. Attach a WordPerfect document containing the text of this rule or change (filename):

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#### **AGENCY AUTHORIZATION**

Agency head or designee,	J. Craig Jackson, Director	Date	03/31/2003
and title:		(mm/dd/yyyy):	

R156. Commerce, Occupational and Professional Licensing. R156-56. Utah Uniform Building Standard Act Rules. R156-56-102. Definitions.

In addition to the definitions in Title 58, Chapters 1, 55 and 56, as used in Title 58, Chapter 56 or these rules:

- (1) "Building permit" means, for the purpose of determining the building permit surcharge under Subsection 58-56-9(4), a warrant, license or authorization to build or construct a building or structure or any part thereof.
- (2) "Building permit fee" means, for the purpose of determining the building permit surcharge under Subsection 58-56-9(4), fees assessed by an agency of the state or political subdivision of the state for the issuance of permits for construction, alteration, remodeling, and repair and installation including building, electrical, mechanical and plumbing components.
- (3) "Employed by a local regulator, state regulator or compliance agency" means, with respect to Subsection 58-56-9(1), the hiring of services of a qualified inspector whether by an employer/employee relationship, an independent contractor relationship, a fee-for-service relationship or any other lawful arrangement under which the regulating agency purchases the services of a qualified inspector.
- (4) "Inspector" means a person employed by a local regulator, state regulator or compliance agency for the purpose of inspecting building, electrical, plumbing or mechanical construction, alteration, remodeling, repair or installation in accordance with the codes adopted under these rules and taking appropriate action based upon the findings made during

inspection.

- (5) ["Permanently affixed to real property" means a manufactured home or mobile home which has complied with all of the provisions of Section 59-2-602 at the date possession of the manufactured home or mobile home is changed from the dealer to the purchaser.
- (6) | Refuses to establish a method of appeal means with respect to Subsection 58-56-8(3), that a compliance agency does not in fact adopt a formal written method of appealing uniform building standard matters in accordance with generally recognized standards of due process; or, that the compliance agency does not convene an appeals board and render a decision in the matter within ninety days from the date on which the appeal is properly filed with the compliance agency.
- $([7]\underline{6})$  "Uniform Building Standards" means the codes identified in Section R156-56-701 and as amended under these rules.
- ( $[8]\overline{7}$ ) "Unprofessional conduct" as defined in Title 58, Chapter 1 is further defined, in accordance with Subsection 58-1-203(5), in Section R156-56-502.

#### R156-56-302. Licensure of Inspectors.

In accordance with Subsection 58-56-9(1), the licensee classifications, scope of work, qualifications for licensure, and application for license are established as follows:

- (1) License Classifications. Each inspector employed by a local regulator, state regulator, compliance agency, or private agency providing inspection services to a regulator or compliance agency, shall qualify for licensure and be licensed by the division in one of the following classifications:
  - (a) Combination Inspector; or
  - (b) Limited Inspector.
- (2) Scope of Work. The scope of work permitted under each inspector classification is as follows:
  - (a) Combination Inspector.
- (i) Inspect the components of any building, structure or work for which a standard is provided in the specific edition of the codes adopted under these rules or amendments to these codes as included in these rules.
- (ii) Determine whether the construction, alteration, remodeling, repair or installation of all components of any building, structure or work is in compliance with the adopted codes.
- (iii) After determination of compliance or noncompliance with the adopted codes take appropriate action as is provided in the aforesaid codes.
  - (b) Limited Inspector.

- (i) A Limited Inspector may only conduct activities under Subsections (ii), (iii) or (iv) for which the Limited Inspector has maintained current certificates under the adopted codes as provided under Subsections R156-56-302(3)(b) and R156-56-302(2)(c)(ii).
- (ii) Subject to the limitations of Subsection (i), inspect the components of any building, structure or work for which a standard is provided in the specific edition of the codes adopted under these rules or amendments to these codes as included in these rules.
- (iii) Subject to the limitations under Subsection (i), determine whether the construction, alteration, remodeling, repair or installation of components of any building, structure or work is in compliance with the adopted codes.
- (iv) Subject to the limitations under Subsection (i), after determination of compliance or noncompliance with the adopted codes, take appropriate action as is provided in the adopted codes.
  - (c) Transitional Provisions.
- (i) [A license issued to an inspector trainee which license is active at the time of this rule change shall remain effective throughout the term of the original license and shall have authority as specified under the prior rules in effect on July 1, 1999. Thereafter, all persons must qualify for licensure under these rules.
- (ii) An inspector granted a license as a Building Inspector I, Electrical Inspector I, Plumbing Inspector I, Mechanical Inspector I, Combination Inspector II Limited Commercial Combination, Combination Inspector III, Building Inspector III, Electrical Inspector III, Plumbing Inspector III or Mechanical Inspector III under the prior rules, which license is active at the time of this rule change, shall be issued a replacement license as a Limited Inspector.
- (iii) The state administered examinations upon which prior licenses were granted or upon which new limited inspector licenses may be granted shall be considered as current certification until [two years after a national organization offers certification as a residential building inspector, residential electrical inspector, residential plumbing inspector or residential mechanical inspector for codes adopted under these rules. After the state administered examinations are no longer considered current certification, March 1, 2004. Thereafter, licenses may not be granted or renewed unless the person has obtained current certificates issued by a national organization.
- (3) Qualifications for Licensure. The qualifications for licensure for each inspector classification are as follows:
  - (a) Combination Inspector.

Has passed the examination for and maintained as current the following national certifications for codes adopted under these rules:

- (i) the "Building Inspector Certification" issued by the International [Conference of Building Officials] Code Council;
- (ii) the "Electrical Inspector Certification" issued by the International [Conference of Building Officials]Code Council or the "General Electrical Certification" issued by the International Association of Electrical Inspectors;
- (iii) the "Plumbing Inspector Certification" issued by the International [Conference of Building Officials] Code Council, International Code Council or the International Association of Plumbing and Mechanical Officials or the "Commercial Plumbing Inspector Certification" issued by the International Code Council or International Association of Plumbing and Mechanical Officials; and
- (iv) the "Mechanical Inspector Certification" issued by the International [Conference of Building Officials]Code Council or the "Commercial Mechanical Inspector Certification" issued by the International Association of Plumbing and Mechanical Officials.
  - (b) Limited Inspector.

Has passed the examination for and maintained as current one or more of the following national certifications for codes adopted under these rules:

- (i) the "Building Inspector Certification" issued by the International [Conference of Building Officials] Code Council;
- (ii) the "Electrical Inspector Certification" issued by the International [Conference of Building Officials]Code Council or the "General Electrical Certification" issued by the International Association of Electrical Inspectors;
- (iii) the "Plumbing Inspector Certification" issued by the International [Conference of Building Officials] Code Council, International Code Council or the International Association of Plumbing and Mechanical Officials or the "Commercial Plumbing Inspector Certification" issued by the International Code Council or International Association of Plumbing and Mechanical Officials;
- (iv) the "Mechanical Inspector Certification" issued by the International [Conference of Building Officials]Code Council or the "Commercial Mechanical Inspector Certification" issued by the International Association of Plumbing and Mechanical Officials;
- (v) the "Combination Dwelling Inspector Certification"
  issued by the International [Conference of Building
  Officials]Code Council;

- (vi) the "Limited Commercial Combination Certification"
  issued by the International [Conference of Building
  Officials]Code Council;
- (vii) the "Residential Building Inspector Certification"
  issued by the International [Conference of Building
  Officials]Code Council;
- (viii) the "Residential Electrical Inspector
  Certification" issued by the International [Conference of
  Building Officials]Code Council;
- (ix) the "Residential Plumbing Inspector Certification"
  issued by the International [Conference of Building
  Officials]Code Council; or
- (x) the "Residential Mechanical Inspector Certification" issued by the International [ $\frac{Conference\ of\ Building}{Officials}$ ]Code Council.
  - (4) Application for License.
  - (a) An applicant for licensure shall:
- (i) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division; and
- (ii) pay a fee determined by the department pursuant to Section 63-38-3.2.

#### R156-56-701. Specific Editions of Uniform Building Standards.

- (1) In accordance with Subsection 58-56-4(3), and subject to the limitations contained in Subsection (6), (7), and (8), the following codes are hereby incorporated by reference and adopted as the construction standards to be applied to building construction, alteration, remodeling and repair and in the regulation of building construction, alteration, remodeling and repair in the state:
- (a) the 2000 edition of the International Building Code (IBC) as modified by Chapter 11 and Chapter 16 of the 2001 edition of the Supplement to the International Building Code, promulgated by the International Code Council, and amendments adopted under these rules together with standards incorporated into the IBC by reference, including but not limited to, the 2000 edition of the International Energy Conservation Code (IECC) promulgated by the International Code Council and the 2000 edition of the International Residential Code (IRC) promulgated by the International Code Council shall become effective on January 1, 2002;
- (b) the 2002 edition of the National Electrical Code (NEC) promulgated by the National Fire Protection Association, to become effective January 1, 2003;
- (c) the 2000 edition of the International Plumbing Code (IPC) promulgated by the International Code Council and amendments adopted under these rules in Section R156-56-707 shall become effective on January 1, 2001;

- (d) the 2000 edition of the International Mechanical Code (IMC) together with all applicable standards set forth in the 2000 International Fuel Gas Code (IFGC) (formerly included as part of the IMC) and amendments adopted under these rules in Section R156-56-708 shall become effective on January 1, 2002;
- (e) subject to the provisions of Subsection (4), the Federal Manufactured Housing Construction and Safety Standards Act (HUD Code) as promulgated by the Department of Housing and Urban Development and published in the Federal Register as set forth in 24 CFR parts 3280 and 3282 as revised April 1, 1990; and
- (f) subject to the provisions of Subsection (4), the 1994 edition of NCSBCS A225.1 Manufactured Home Installations promulgated by the National Conference of States on Building Codes and Standards (NCSBCS).
- (2) In accordance with Subsection 58-56-4(4), and subject to the limitations contained in Subsection 58-56-4(5), the following codes are hereby incorporated by reference and approved for use and adoption by a compliance agency as the construction standards which may be applied to existing buildings in the regulation of building alteration, remodeling, repair, removal and rehabilitation in the state:
- (a) the 1997 edition of the Uniform Code for the Abatement of Dangerous Buildings (UCADB) promulgated by the International [Conference of Building Officials] Code Council;
- (b) the 1997 edition of the Uniform Code for Building Conservation (UCBC) promulgated by the International [Conference of Building Officials] Code Council;
- (c) Guidelines for the Seismic Retrofit of Existing Buildings (GSREB) promulgated by the International [Conference of Building Officials] Code Council;
- (d) Guidelines for the Rehabilitation of Existing Buildings (GREB) promulgated by the International [Conference of Building Officials] Code Council.
- (3) Amendments adopted by rule to prior editions of the Uniform Building Standards shall remain in effect until specifically amended or repealed.
- (4) The manufacturer, dealer or homeowner shall be permitted to design for unusual installation of a manufactured home not provided for in the manufacturer's standard installation instruction or NCSBCS/ANSI 225.1, Manufactured Home Installations, provided the design is approved in writing by a professional engineer or architect licensed in Utah. Guidelines for Manufactured Housing Installation as promulgated by the International [Conference of Building Officials] Code Council may be used as a reference guide.
- (5) Pursuant to the Federal Manufactured Home Construction and Safety Standards Section 604(d), a manufactured home may be

installed in the state of Utah which does not meet the local snow load requirements as specified in Subsection R156-56-704; however all such homes which fail to meet the standards of Subsection R156-56-704 shall have a protective structure built over the home which meets the International Building Code and the snow load requirements under Subsection R156-56-704.

- (6) To the extent that the building codes adopted under Subsection (1) establish local administrative functions or establish a method of appeal which pursuant to Section 58-56-8 are designated to be established by the compliance agency, such provisions are not included in the codes adopted hereunder but authority over such provisions are reserved to the compliance agency to establish such provisions.
- (7) To the extent that the building codes adopted under Subsection (1) establish provisions, standards or references to other codes which by state statutes are designated to be established or administered by other state agencies or local city, town or county jurisdictions, such provisions are not included in the codes adopted herein but authority over such provisions are reserved to the agency or local government having authority over such provisions. Provisions excluded under this Subsection include but are not limited to:
  - (a) the International Property Maintenance Code;
- (b) the International Private Sewage Disposal Code, authority over which would be reserved to the Department of Health and the Department of Environmental Quality;
- (c) the International Fire Code which pursuant to Section 58-3-7 authority is reserved to the Utah Fire Prevention Board; and
- (d) day care provisions which are in conflict with the Child Care Licensing Act, authority over which is designated to the Utah Department of Health.
- (8) To the extent that the codes adopted under Subsection (1) establish provisions that exceed the authority granted to the Division, under the Utah Uniform Building Standards Act, to adopt codes or amendments to such codes by rulemaking procedures, such provisions, to the extent such authority is exceeded, are not included in the codes adopted.

#### R156-56-704. Statewide Amendments to the IBC.

The following are adopted as amendments to the IBC to be applicable statewide:

- (1) All references to the International Electrical Code are deleted and replaced with the National Electrical Code adopted under Subsection R156-56-701(1)(b).
- (2) Section 101.4.1 is deleted and replaced with the following:

- 101.4.1 Electrical. The provisions of the National Electrical Code (NEC) shall apply to the installation of electrical systems, including alterations, repairs, replacement, equipment, appliances, fixtures, fittings and appurtenances thereto.
  - (3) In Section 202, the following definition is added: ASSISTED LIVING FACILITY. See Section 308.1.1.
- (4) Section 302.3.3 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 302.3.3 Separated uses. Each portion of the building shall be individually classified as to use and shall be considered separated from other occupancies when completely separated from adjacent areas by fire barrier walls or horizontal assemblies or both having a fire-resistance rating determined in accordance with this sections.
- 302.3.3.1 All occupancies. Each fire area shall be separated from other occupancies in other fire areas in accordance with Table 302.3.3 based on the occupancy in the fire areas, and shall comply with the height limitations based on the use of that space and the type of construction classification. In each story the building area shall be such that the sum or the ratios of the floor area of each use divided by the allowable area for each use shall not exceed 1.

Exceptions for R-3 and U Groups:

- 1. The private garage shall be separated from the residence and its attic area by means of materials approved for one-hour fire resistive construction applied to the garage side. Door openings between the garage and the residence shall be equipped with either solid wood doors not less than 1 3/8 inches (35 mm) thick or doors in compliance with Section 714.2.3. Openings from a private garage directly into a room used for sleeping purposes shall not be permitted.
- 2. Ducts in the private garage and ducts penetrating the walls or ceilings separating the dwelling from the garage shall be constructed of a minimum No. 26 gage (.48 mm) sheet steel and shall have no openings into the garage.
- 3. A separation is not required between a Group R-3 and Group U carport provided the carport is entirely open on two or more sides and there are not enclosed spaces above.

Where the building is equipped throughout with an automatic sprinkler system, the fire resistance ratings in Table 302.3.3 shall be reduced by one hour but not to less than one hour and to not less than that required for floor construction according to the type of construction. The one hour reduction shall not apply to fire area separations when H-1, H-2, H-3, or I-2 occupancies are included in the areas being separated.

Table 302.3.3 is deleted and replaced with:

Table 302.3.3, entitled "Required Separation of Occupancies", dated January 1, 2002, published by the Department of Commerce, Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing is hereby adopted and incorporated by reference. Table 302.3.3 identifies what type of separation of occupancies requirements are mandated in various types of property use classifications.

- (5) A new Section 302.4 is added as follows:
- 302.4 Spaces used for different purposes. A room or space that is intended to be occupied at different times for different purposes shall comply with all requirements that are applicable to each of the purposes for which the room or space will be occupied.
- (6) Section 305.2 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 305.2 Day care. The building or structure, or portion thereof, for educational, supervision, child day care centers, or personal care services of more than four children shall be classified as a Group E occupancy. See Section 419 for special requirements for Group E child day care centers.

Exception: Areas used for child day care purposes with a Residential Certificate, Family License or Family Group License may be located in a Group R-2 or R-3 occupancy as provided in Section 310.1 and as applicable in Section 101.2.

Child day care centers providing care for more than 100 children 2 1/2 years or less of age shall be classified as Group I-4.

(7) In Section 308 the following definitions are added: 308.1.1 Definitions. The following words and terms shall, for the purposes of this section and as used elsewhere in this code, have the meanings shown herein.

TYPE 1 ASSISTED LIVING FACILITY. A residential facility that provides a protected living arrangement for ambulatory, non-restrained persons who are capable of achieving mobility sufficient to exit the facility without the assistance of another person.

TYPE 2 ASSISTED LIVING FACILITY. A residential facility that provides an array of coordinated supportive personal and health care services to residents who meet the definition of semi-independent.

SEMI-INDEPENDENT. A person who is:

- A. Physically disabled but able to direct his or her own care; or
- B. Cognitively impaired or physically disabled but able to evacuate from the facility with the physical assistance of one person.
- (8) Section 308.2 is deleted and replaced with the following:

- 308.2 Group I-1. This occupancy shall include a building or part thereof housing more than 16 persons, on a 24-hour basis, who because of age, mental disability or other reasons, live in a supervised residential environment that provides personal care services. The occupants are capable of responding to an emergency situation without physical assistance from staff. This group shall include, but not be limited to, the following: residential board and care facilities, type 1 assisted living facilities, half-way houses, group homes, congregate care facilities, social rehabilitation facilities, alcohol and drug centers and convalescent facilities. A facility such as the above with five or fewer persons shall be classified as a Group R-3. A facility such as above, housing at least six and not more than 16 persons, shall be classified as a Group R-4.
- (9) Section 308.3 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 308.3 Group I-2. This occupancy shall include buildings and structures used for medical, surgical, psychiatric, nursing or custodial care on a 24-hour basis of more than three persons who are not capable of self-preservation. This group shall include, but not be limited to the following: hospitals, nursing homes (both intermediate care facilities and skilled nursing facilities), mental hospitals, detoxification facilities, ambulatory surgical centers with two or more operating rooms where care is less than 24 hours and type 2 assisted living facilities. Type 2 assisted living facilities with five or fewer persons shall be classified as a Group R-4. Type 2 assisted living facilities as defined in 308.1.1 with at least six and not more than sixteen residents shall be classified as a Group I-1 facility.
- (10) Section 308.3.1 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 308.3.1 Child care facility. A child care facility that provides care on a 24 hour basis to more than four children 2 1/2 years of age or less shall be classified as Group I-2.
- (11) Section 308.5 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 308.5 Group I-4, day care facilities. This group shall include buildings and structures occupied by persons of any age who receive custodial care less than 24 hours by individuals other than parents or guardians, relatives by blood, marriage, or adoption, and in a place other than the home of the person cared for. A facility such as the above with four or fewer persons shall be classified as an R-3. Places of worship during religious functions and Group E child day care centers are not included.

- (12) Section 308.5.2 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 308.5.2 Child care facility. A facility that provides supervision and personal care on less than a 24 hour basis for more than 100 children 2 1/2 years of age or less shall be classified as Group I-4.
- (13) Section 310.1 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 310.1 Residential Group "R". Residential Group R includes, among others, the use of a building or structure, or a portion thereof, for sleeping purposes when not classed as an Institutional Group I. Residential occupancies shall include the following:
- R-1 Residential occupancies where the occupants are primarily transient in nature (less than 30 days) including: Boarding Houses (transient), Hotels (transient), and Motels (transient).

Exception: Boarding houses accommodating 10 persons or less shall be classified as a Residential Group R-3.

R-2 Residential occupancies containing sleeping units or more than two dwelling units where the occupants are primarily permanent in nature, including: Apartment Houses, Boarding houses (not transient), Convents, Dormitories, Fraternities and Sororities, Monasteries, Vacation timeshare properties, Hotels (non transient), and Motels (non transient).

Exception: Boarding houses accommodating 10 persons or less shall be classified as a Residential Group R-3.

- R-3 Residential occupancies where the occupants are primarily permanent in nature and not classified as R-1, R-2, R-4 or I and where buildings do not contain more than two dwelling units, as applicable in Section 101.2, or adult and child care facilities that provide accommodations for five or fewer persons of any age for less than 24 hours. Adult and child care facilities that are within a single family home are permitted to comply with the International Residential Code in accordance with Section 101.2. Areas used for day care purposes may be located in a Residential Group, R-3 occupancy provided the building substantially complies with the requirements for a dwelling unit and under all of the following conditions:
- 1. Compliance with the Utah Administrative Code, R710-8, Day Care Rules, as enacted under the authority of the Utah Fire Prevention Board.
- 2. Use is approved by the State Department of Health, as enacted under the authority of the Utah Child Care Licensing Act, UCA, Sections 26-39-101 through 26-39-110, and in any of the following categories:
- a. Utah Administrative Code, R430-50, Residential Certificate Child Care Standards.

- b. Utah Administrative Code, R430-90, Licensed Family Child Care.
- 3. Compliance with all zoning regulations of the local regulator.
- R-4 Residential occupancies shall include buildings arranged for occupancy as Residential Care/Assisted Living Facilities including more than five but not more than 16 occupants, excluding staff.

Group R-4 occupancies shall meet the requirements for construction as defined for Group R-3 except as otherwise provided for in this code or shall comply with the International Residential Code in accordance with Section 101.2.

- (14) A new section 310.4 is added as follows:
- 310.4 Floor-level exit signs. Where exit signs are required by section 1003.2.10.1, additional approved exit signs that are internally or externally illuminated, photoluminescent or self-luminous, shall be provided in all corridors serving guest rooms of R-1 occupancies. The bottom of such signs shall not be less than 6 inches (152 mm) nor more than 8 inches (203 mm) above the floor level and shall indicate the path of exit travel. For exit and exit access doors, the sign shall be on the door or adjacent to the door with the closest edge of the sign with 8 inches (203 mm) of the door frame.
  - (15) In section 403.10.1.1 the exception is deleted.
  - (16) A new Section 403.9.1 is added as follows:
- 403.9.1 Elevator lobby. Elevators on all floors shall open into elevator lobbies that are separated from the remainder of the building, including corridors and other means of egress by smoke partitions complying with Section 710. Elevator lobbies shall have at least one means of egress complying with Chapter 10 and other provisions within the code. Elevator lobbies separated from a fire resistance rated corridor shall have walls of not less than one-hour fire resistance rating and openings shall conform to Section 714.

Exceptions:

- 1. Separations are not required from a street floor elevator lobby.
- 2. In atria complying with the provisions of Section 404 elevator lobbies are not required.
  - (17) A new section 419 is added as follows:

Section 419 Group E Child Day Care Centers. Group E child day care centers shall comply with Section 419.

419.1 Location at grade. Group E child day care centers shall be located at the level of exit discharge.

Exception: Child day care spaces for children over the age of 24 months may be located on the second floor of buildings equipped with automatic fire protection throughout and an automatic fire alarm system.

- 419.2 Egress. All Group E child day care spaces with an occupant load of 10 or more shall have a second means of egress. If the second means of egress is not an exit door leading directly to the exterior, the room shall have an emergency escape and rescue window complying with Section 1009.
- (18) Section 706.3.5 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 706.3.5 Separation of mixed occupancies. Where the provisions of Section 302.3.3 are applicable, the fire barrier separating mixed occupancies shall have a fire-resistance rating of not less than that indicated in Section 302.3.3 based on the occupancies being separated.
  - (19) A new Section 706.3.6 is added as follows:
- 706.3.6. Single occupancy fire areas. The fire barrier separating a single occupancy into different fire areas shall have a fire resistance rating of not less than that indicated in Table 706.3.6.

# TABLE 706.3.6 FIRE-RESISTANCE RATING REQUIREMENTS FOR FIRE BARRIER ASSEMBLIES BETWEEN FIRE AREAS

OCCUPANCY GROUP	FIRE-RESISTANCE	RATING	(IN HOURS)
H-1, $H-2$	4		
F-1, H-3, S-1	3		
A, B, E, F-2, H-4, H-5, I			
M, R, S-2	2		
U	1		

- (20) In Section 707.14.1 Exception 4 is deleted and replaced with the following:
  - 4. See Section 403.9.1 for high rise buildings.
- (21) Section 710.3 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- \_\_\_\_\_710.3 Fire-resistance rating. The fire-resistance rating of floor and roof assemblies shall not be less than that required by the building type of construction. Where the floor assembly separates mixed occupancies, the assembly shall have a fire-resistance rating of not less than that required in Section 302.3.3 based on the occupancies being separated. Where the floor assembly separates a single occupancy into different fire areas, the assembly shall have a fire-resistance rating of not less than that required by Section 706.3.6. Floor assemblies separating dwelling units or guestrooms shall be a minimum of 1-hour fire-resistance-rated construction.

Exception: Dwelling unit and guestroom separations in buildings of Type IIB, IIIB and VB construction shall have fire-

resistance ratings of not less than 1/2 hour in buildings equipped throughout with an automatic sprinkler system in accordance with Section 903.3.1.1.

(22) In Section 902, the definition for record drawings is deleted and replaced with the following:

RECORD DRAWINGS. Drawings ("as builts") that document all aspects of a fire protection system as installed.

- (23) Section 903.2.5 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 903.2.5 Group I. An automatic sprinkler system shall be provided throughout buildings with Group I fire areas. Listed quick response or residential sprinkler heads shall be installed in patient or resident sleeping areas.
- (24) Section 903.2.9 Group R-4 is deleted and replaced with the following:

An automatic sprinkler system shall be provided throughout all buildings with Group R-4 fire areas that contain more than eight occupants.

#### Exception:

- 1. An automatic sprinkler system installed in accordance with Section 903.3.1.2 or Section 903.3.1.3. shall be allowed in Group R-4 facilities.
- 2. Buildings not more than 4,500 gross square feet and not containing more than 16 residents, provided the building is equipped throughout with an approved fire alarm system that is interconnected and receives its primary power from the building wiring and a commercial power system.
- (25) Section 905.5.3 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 905.5.3 Class II system 1-inch hose. A minimum 1-inch (25.4 mm) hose shall be permitted to be used for hose stations in light-hazard occupancies where investigated and listed for this service and where approved by the code official.
- (26) In Section 1002, the definition for exit discharge is deleted and replaced with the following:

EXIT DISCHARGE. That portion of a means of egress system between the termination of an exit and a public way or safe dispersal area.

(27) In Section 1003.2.12.1 the exception is deleted and replaced with the following:

#### Exceptions:

1. For occupancies in Group R-3 and within individual dwelling units in occupancies in Group R-2, as applicable in Section 101.2, guards whose top rail serves as a handrail shall have a height not less than 34 inches (864 mm) and not more than 38 inches (965 mm) measured vertically from the leading edge of the stair tread nosing.

- 2. For occupancies in Group R-3 and within individual dwelling units in occupancies in Group R-2, as applicable in section 101.2, guards shall form a protective barrier not less than 36 inches (914 mm).
- (28) Section 1003.2.12.2 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 1003.2.12.2 Opening limitations. Open guards shall have balusters or ornamental patterns such that a 4-inch-diameter (102 mm) sphere cannot pass through any opening up to a height of 34 inches (864 mm). From a height of 34 inches (864 mm) to 42 inches (1067 mm) above the adjacent walking surface, a sphere 8 inches (203 mm) in diameter shall not pass. For occupancies in Group R-3 and within individual dwelling units in occupancies in Group R-2, as applicable in Section 101.2, required guards shall not be constructed with horizontal rails or other ornamental pattern that results in a ladder effect.

#### Exceptions:

- 1. The triangular openings formed by the riser, tread and bottom rail at the open side of a stairway shall be of a maximum size such that a sphere of 6 inches (152 mm) in diameter cannot pass through the opening.
- 2. At elevated walking surfaces for access to and use of electrical, mechanical, or plumbing systems or equipment, guards shall have balusters or be of solid materials such that a sphere with a diameter of 21 inches (533 mm) cannot pass through any opening.
- 3. In occupancies in Group I-3, F, H or S, balusters, horizontal intermediate rails or other construction shall not permit a sphere with a diameter of 21 inches (533 mm) to pass through any opening.
- 4. In assembly seating areas, guards at the end of aisles where they terminate at a fascia of boxes, balconies, and galleries shall have balusters or ornamental patterns such that a 4-inch-diameter (102 mm) sphere cannot pass through any opening up to a height of 26 inches (660 mm). From a height of 26 inches (660 mm) to 42 inches (1067 mm) above the adjacent walking surfaces, a sphere 8 inches (203 mm) in diameter shall not pass.
- (29) Section 1003.3.3.3, Exception #5 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 5. In occupancies in Group R-3, as applicable in Section 101.2, within dwelling units in occupancies in Group R-2, as applicable in Section 101.2, and in occupancies in Group U, which are accessory to an occupancy in Group R-3, as applicable in Section 101.2, the maximum riser height shall be 8 inches (203 mm) and the minimum tread depth shall be 9 inches (229 mm). A nosing not less than 0.75 inch (19.1 mm) but not more than

- 1.25 inches (32 mm) shall be provided on stairways with solid risers where the tread depth is less than 10 inches (254 mm).
- (30) Section 1003.3.3.11 Exemption #4 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 4. In occupancies in Group R-3, as applicable in Section 101.2 and in occupancies in Group U, which are accessory to an occupancy in Group R-3, as applicable in Section 101.2, handrails shall be provided on at least one side of stairways consisting of four or more risers.
- (31) Section 1003.3.3.11.3 is amended to include the following exception at the end of the section:

Exception. Non-circular handrails serving an individual unit in a Group R-1, Group R-2 or Group R-3 occupancy shall be permitted to have a maximum cross sectional dimension of 3.25 inches (83 mm) measured 2 inches (51 mm) down from the top of the crown. Such handrail is required to have an indention on both sides between 0.625 inch (16 mm) and 1.5 inches (38 mm) down from the top or crown of the cross section. The indentation shall be a minimum of 0.25 inch (6 mm) deep on each side and shall be at least 0.5 (13 mm) high. Edges within the handgrip shall have a minimum radius of 0.0625 inch (2 mm). The handrail surface shall be smooth with no cusps so as to avoid catching clothing or skin.

- (32) In Section 1004.3.2.5 Exception 2 is deleted.
- (33) New Sections 1006.2.3, 1006.2.3.1 and 1006.2.3.2 are added as follows:

1006.2.3 Safe dispersal areas. Where approved by the code official, the exit discharge is permitted to lead to a safe dispersal area on the same property as the structure being discharged. The proximity and size of such safe dispersal area shall be based on such factors as the occupant load served, the mobility of occupants, the type of construction of the building, the fire protection systems installed in the building, the height of the building and the degree of hazard of the occupancy. In any case, the entire safe dispersal area shall be located not less than 50 feet (15 420 mm) from the structure served.

1006.2.3.1 School ground fences and gates. School grounds shall be permitted to be fenced and gates therein equipped with locks, provided safe dispersal areas are located between the school and fence with the entire dispersal area no less than 50 feet (15 420mm) from school buildings. Safe dispersal area capacity shall be determined by providing a minimum of 3 square feet (0.28  $\mathrm{m}^2$ ) of net clear area per occupant.

1006.2.3.2 Reviewing stands, grandstands and bleachers. Safe dispersal areas serving reviewing stands, grandstands and bleachers shall accommodate a number of persons equal to the total capacity of the stand or building served. Safe dispersal

area capacity shall be determined by providing a minimum of 3 square feet  $(0.28 \ \text{m}^2)$  of net clear area per occupant.

(34) Section 1109.7 of Chapter 11 in the 2001 Supplement to the International Building Code is deleted and replaced with the following:

Section 1109.7 Lifts. Platform (wheelchair) lifts shall not be a part of a required accessible route in new construction. Platform (wheelchair) lifts shall be installed in accordance with ASME A18.1.

Exceptions: Platform (wheelchair) lifts are permitted for:

- 1. An accessible route to a performing area and speaker's platforms in occupancies in Group A.
- 2. An accessible route to wheelchair spaces required to comply with the wheelchair space dispersion and line-of-sight requirements of Section 1108.2.2.
- 3. An accessible route to spaces that are not open to the general public with an occupant load of not more than five.
  - 4. An accessible route within a dwelling or sleeping unit.
- 5. An accessible route to wheelchair seating spaces located in outdoor dining terraces in A-5 occupancies where the means of egress from the dining terrace to a public way is open to the outdoors.
- 6. An accessible route to raised judges' benches, clerks' stations, jury boxes, witness stands and other raised or depressed areas in a court.
- 7. An accessible route where existing exterior site constraints make use of a ramp or elevator infeasible.
- 8. Wheelchair access where an accessible route is not required per the exceptions to Section 1104.4 and/or Section 1107.4.

All platform (wheelchair) lifts shall be capable of independent operation without a key.

Standby power shall be provided for platform lifts permitted to serve as part of the accessible means of egress.

(35) Section 1207.2 is deleted and replaced with the following:

1207.2 Minimum ceiling heights. Occupiable spaces, habitable spaces and corridors shall have a ceiling height of not less than 7 feet 6 inches (2286 mm). Rooms in one- and two-family dwellings, bathrooms, toilet rooms, kitchens, storage rooms and laundry rooms shall be permitted to have a ceiling height of not less than 7 feet (2134 mm).

Exceptions:

1. In one- and two-family dwellings, beams or girders spaced not more than 4 feet (1219 mm) on center or projecting not more than 6 inches (152 mm) below the required ceiling height.

- 2. Basement rooms without habitable spaces in one- and two-family dwellings having a ceiling height of not less than 6 feet 8 inches (2033mm) with not less than 6 feet 4 inches (1932 mm) of clear height under beams, girders, ducts and similar obstructions.
- 3. If any room in a building has a sloping ceiling, the prescribed ceiling height for the room is required in one-half the area thereof. Any portion of the room measuring less than 5 feet (1524 mm) from the finished floor to the finished ceiling shall not be included in any computation of the minimum area thereof.
- 4. Mezzanines constructed in accordance with Section 505.1.
- (36) Section 1207.3 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 1207.3 Room area. Every dwelling unit shall have at least one room that shall have not less than 120 square feet (11.2  $\rm m^2$ ) of net floor area. Other habitable rooms shall have a net floor area of not less than 70 square feet (6.5  $\rm m^2$ ).

Exception: Every kitchen in a one- and two-family dwelling shall have not less than 50 square feet  $4.64~\text{m}^2)$  of gross floor area.

- (37) Section 1207.4 subparagraph 1 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 1. The unit shall have a living room of not less than 165 square feet (15.3 m) of floor area. An additional 100 square feet (9.3 m) of floor area shall be provided for each occupant of such unit in excess of two.
- (38) Section 1604.5, footnote "c" is added to Table 1604.5 Classification of Buildings and Other Structures for Importance Factors:
- c. For determining "W" per sections 1616.4.1, 1617.4.1, 1617.5.1, or 1618.4, the Snow Factor I, may be taken as 1.0.
- (39) In Section 1605.2.1, the formula shown as " $f_2$  = 0.2 for other roof configurations" is deleted and replaced with the following:
- $f_2 = 0.20 + .025(A-5)$  for other configurations where roof snow load exceeds 30 psf
- $f_2$  = 0 for roof snow loads of 30 psf (1.44kN/m²) or less. Where A = Elevation above sea level at the location of the structure (ft/1000).
- (40) In Section 1605.3.1 and section 1605.3.2, Exception number 2 in each section is deleted and replaced with the following:

Flat roof snow loads of 30 pounds per square foot (1.44  $\rm kNm^2$ ) or less need not be combined with seismic loads. Where flat roofs exceed 30 pounds per square foot (1.44  $\rm kNm^2$ ), the snow loads may be reduced in accordance with the following in load

combinations including both snow and seismic loads.

 $W_s = (0.20 + 0.025(A-5))P_f$ 

Where

 $W_s$  = Weight of snow to be included, psf

A = Elevation above sea level at the location of the structure (ft/1000)

 $P_f$  = Design roof snow load, psf

(41) <u>In Table 1607.1 number 6 is deleted and replaced with</u> the following:

TABLE 1607.1	L NUMBER 6	
Occupancy or Use	Uniform	Concentrated
	(psf)	(lbs)
6. Decks, except residential	Same as occupa	incy
	served <sup>h</sup>	
6.1 Residential decks	60 psf	

\_\_\_\_(42) In Table 1607.1 number 27 is deleted and replaced with the following:

TABLE 1607.1 NUM	IBER 27	
Occupancy or Use	Uniform	Concentrated
	(psf)	(lbs)
27. Residential		
Group R-3 as applicable in Section 1	01.2	_
Uninhabitable attics without storag	e 10 <sup>i</sup>	
Uninhabitable attics with storage	20	
Habitable attics and sleeping areas	30	
All other areas except balconies		
and decks	40	
Hotels and multifamily dwellings		
Private rooms	40	
Public rooms & corridors serving th	em 100	

- (4[2]3) In Notes to Table 1607.1, Note i is added as follows:
- i. This live load need not be considered as acting simultaneously with other live loads imposed upon the ceiling framing or its supporting structure.
- (4[3]4) Section 1608.1 is deleted and replaced with the following:

Except as modified in section 1608.1.1, design snow loads shall be determined in accordance with Section 7 of ASCE 7, but the design roof load shall not be less than that determined by Section 1607.

 $(4[4]\underline{5})$  Section 7.4.5 of Section 7 of ASCE 7 referred to in Section 1608.1 of the IBC is deleted and replaced with the

#### following:

Section 7.4.5 Ice Dams and Icicles Along Eaves. Where ground snow loads exceed 75 psf, eaves shall be capable of sustaining a uniformly distributed load of  $2p_f$  on all overhanging portions. No other loads except dead loads shall be present on the roof when this uniformly distributed load is applied. All building exits under down-slope eaves shall be protected from sliding snow and ice.

(4[5]6) Section 1608.1.1 is added as follows:

1608.1.1 Utah Snow Loads. The ground snow load,  $P_g$ , to be used in the determination of design snow loads for buildings and other structures shall be determined by using the following formula:  $P_g = (P_o^2 + S^2(A-A_o)^2)^{0.5}$  for A greater than  $A_o$ , and  $P_g = P_o$  for A less than or equal to  $A_o$ .

#### WHERE

 $P_q$  = Ground snow load at a given elevation (psf)

 $P_o$  = Base ground snow load (psf) from Table No. 1608.1.1(a)

S = Change in ground snow load with elevation (psf/100 ft.) From Table No. 1608.1.1(a)

A = Elevation above sea level at the site (ft./1000)

 $A_o$  = Base ground snow elevation from Table 1608.1.1(a) (ft./1000)

The building official may round the roof snow load to the nearest 5 psf. The ground snow load,  $P_{\rm g}$ , may be adjusted by the building official when a licensed engineer or architect submits data substantiating the adjustments. A record of such action together with the substantiating data shall be provided to the division for a permanent record.

The building official may also directly adopt roof snow loads in accordance with Table 1608.1.1(b), provided the site is no more than 100 ft. higher than the listed elevation.

Where the minimum roof live load in accordance with section 1607.11 is greater than the design roof snow load, such roof live load shall be used for design, however, it shall not be reduced to a load lower than the design roof snow load. Drifting need not be considered for roof snow loads less than 20 psf.

 $(4[\frac{1}{6}]\frac{7}{2})$  Table 1608.1.1(a) and Table 1608.1.1(b) are added as follows:

TABLE NO. 1608.1.1(a)
STATE OF UTAH - REGIONAL SNOW LOAD FACTORS

COUNTY	$P_{o}$	S	$A_{\circ}$
Beaver	43	63	6.2
Box Elder	43	63	5.2
Cache	50	63	4.5

Carbon	43	63	5.2
Daggett	43	63	6.5
Davis	43	63	4.5
Duchesne	43	63	6.5
Emery	43	63	6.0
Garfield	43	63	6.0
Grand	36	63	6.5
Iron	43	63	5.8
Juab	43	63	5.2
Kane	36	63	5.7
Millard	43	63	5.3
Morgan	57	63	4.5
Piute	43	63	6.2
Rich	57	63	4.1
Salt Lake	43	63	4.5
San Juan	43	63	6.5
Sanpete	43	63	5.2
Sevier	43	63	6.0
Summit	86	63	5.0
Tooele	43	63	4.5
Uintah	43	63	7.0
Utah	43	63	4.5
Wasatch	86	63	5.0
Washington	29	63	6.0
Wayne	36	63	6.5
Weber	43	63	4.5

## TABLE NO. 1608.1.1(b) RECOMMENDED SNOW LOADS FOR SELECTED UTAH CITIES AND TOWNS

		Roof Snow Load (PSF)	Ground Snow Load (PSF)
Beaver County			
Beaver	5920 ft	. 43	62
Box Elder County			
Brigham City	4300 ft	. 30	43
Tremonton	4290 ft	. 30	43
Cache County			
Logan	4530 ft	. 35	50
Smithfield	4595 ft	. 35	50
Carbon County			
Price	5550 ft	. 30	43
Daggett County			
Manila	5377 ft	. 30	43
Davis County			
Bountiful	4300 ft	. 30	43

D	407/	) EL	2.0	4.2
_		oft.		43
Layton		oft.	30	43
Fruit Heights	4500	J It.	40	57
Duchesne County	FF10	Cı	2.0	4.2
		ft.		43
Roosevelt	5104	It.	30	43
Emery County	F.C.C.0	<b>C</b> .	2.0	4.0
Castledale			30	43
Green River	4070	it.	25	36
Garfield County				
9	6600	ft.	30	43
Grand County		_		
Moab	3965	ft.	25	36
Iron County				
Cedar City	5831	ft.	30	43
Juab County				
Nephi	5130	ft.	30	43
Kane County				
Kanab	5000	ft.	25	36
Millard County				
Millard	5000	ft.	30	43
Delta	4623	ft.	30	43
Morgan County				
Morgan	5064	ft.	40	57
Piute County				
Piute	5996	ft.	30	43
Rich County				
Woodruff	6315	ft.	40	57
Salt Lake County				
Murray	4325	ft.	30	43
Salt Lake City	4300	ft.	30	43
Sandy	4500	ft.	30	43
West Jordan	4375	ft.	30	43
West Valley	4250		30	43
San Juan County				
Blanding	6200	ft.	30	43
Monticello	6820		35	50
Sanpete County				
Fairview	6750	ft.	35	50
Mt. Pleasant	5900		30	43
Manti	5740		30	43
Ephraim		ft.	30	43
Gunnison	5145		30	43
Sevier County	3113	10.	30	13
Salina	5130	ft.	30	43
Richfield	5270		30	43
Summit County	5270			10
Coalville	5600	ft	60	86
COUTATITE	5000	<u>.</u> .		50

Kamas	6500 ft.	70	100
[ <del>Park City</del>	6400 ft.	85	<del>121</del> ]
Park City	6800 ft.	100	142
Park City	8400 ft.	162	231
Summit Park	7200 ft.	90	128
Tooele County			
Tooele	5100 ft.	30	43
Uintah County			
Vernal	5280 ft.	30	43
Utah County			
American Fork	4500 ft.	30	43
Orem	4650 ft.	30	43
Pleasant Grove	e 5000 ft.	30	43
Provo	5000 ft.	30	43
Spanish Fork	4720 ft.	30	43
Wasatch County			
Heber	5630 ft.	60	86
Washington County	У		
Central	5209 ft.	25	36
Dameron	4550 ft.	25	36
Leeds	3460 ft.	20	29
Rockville	3700 ft.	25	36
Santa Clara	2850 ft.	15 (1)	21
St. George	2750 ft.	15 (1)	21
Wayne County			
Loa	7080 ft.	30	43
Hanksville	4308 ft.	25	36
Weber County			
North Ogden	4500 ft.	40	57
Ogden	4350 ft.	30	43

#### NOTES

- (1) The IBC requires a minimum live load See 1607.11.2.
- (2) This table is informational only in that actual site elevations may vary. Table is only valid if site elevation is within 100 feet of the listed elevation.
- (4[7]8) Section 1608.2 is deleted and replaced with the following:

1608.2 Ground Snow Loads. The ground snow loads to be used in determining the design snow loads for roofs in states other than Utah are given in Figure 1608.2 for the contiguous United States and Table 1608.2 for Alaska. Site-specific case studies shall be made in areas designated CS in figure 1608.2. Ground snow loads for sites at elevations above the limits indicated in Figure 1608.2 and for all sites within the CS areas shall be approved. Ground snow load determination for such sites shall be based on an extreme value statistical analysis of

data available in the vicinity of the site using a value with a 2-percent annual probability of being exceeded (50-year mean recurrence interval). Snow loads are zero for Hawaii, except in mountainous regions as approved by the building official.

- (4[8]9) Section 1614.2 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 1614.2 Change in Occupancy. When a change of occupancy results in a structure being reclassified to a higher Seismic Use Group, or when such change of occupancy results in a design occupant load increase of 100% or more, the structure shall conform to the seismic requirements for a new structure.

#### Exceptions:

- 1. This is not required if the design occupant load increase is less than 25 persons and the Seismic Use Group does not change.
- 2. Specific detailing provisions required for a new structure are not required to be met where it can be shown an equivalent level of performance and seismic safety contemplated for a new structure is obtained. Such analysis shall consider the regularity, overstrength, redundancy and ductility of the structure within the context of the specific detailing provided. Alternatively, the building official may allow the structure to be upgraded in accordance with the latest edition of the "Guidelines for Seismic Rehabilitation of Existing Buildings" or another nationally recognized standard for retrofit of existing buildings.
- ([49]50) In Section 1616.4.1, Definition of W, Item 4 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 4. Roof snow loads of 30 psf or less need not be included. Where the roof snow load exceeds 30 psf, the snow load shall be included, but may be adjusted in accordance with the following formula:  $W_s = (0.20 + 0.025(A-5))P_f$

#### WHERE:

 $W_{\rm s}$  = Weight of snow to be included in seismic calculation; A = Elevation above sea level at the location of the structure (ft/1000)

 $P_f$  = Design roof snow load, psf

For the purposes of this section, snow load shall be assumed uniform on the roof footprint without including the effects of drift or sliding.

 $(5[\theta]\underline{1})$  In Section 1617.2.2, the fourth definition of  $r_{maxi}$  is deleted and replaced with the following:

=For shear walls,  $r_{\text{maxi}}$  shall be taken as the maximum value of the product of the shear in the wall or wall pier and  $10/1_w$  (3.3/1 $_w$ for SI), divided by the story shear, where  $l_w$  is the length of the wall or wall pier in feet (m). The ratio  $10/1_w$  need not be taken greater than 1.0 for buildings of light frame construction.

- $(5[\frac{1}{2}]2)$  In Section 1617.4.1, Definition of W, Item 4 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 4. Roof snow loads to be included shall be as outlined in section 1616.4.1, Definition of W, Item 4, as amended.
- $(5[\frac{2}{3}])$  In Section 1617.5.1, Definition of W, Item 4 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 4. Roof snow loads to be included shall be as outlined in section 1616.4.1, Definition of W, Item 4, as amended.
- $(5[\frac{3}{2}]4)$  In Section 1618.4, Definition of W, Item 4 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 4. Roof snow loads to be included shall be as outlined in section 1616.4.1, Definition of W, Item 4, as amended.
- (5[4]5) Section 1805.5 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 1805.5 Foundation walls. Concrete and masonry foundation walls shall be designed in accordance with Chapter 19 or 21. Foundation walls that are laterally supported at the top and bottom and within the parameters of Tables 1805.5(1) through 1805.5(4) are permitted to be designed and constructed in accordance with Sections 1805.5.1 through 1805.5.4 and 1805.5.8 through 1805.5.8.2. Concrete foundation walls may also be constructed in accordance with Section 1805.5.9.
- (56) Section 1805.2.1 is deleted and replaced with the following:

Sections 1805.2.1 Frost protection. Except where otherwise protected from frost, foundation walls, piers and other permanent supports of buildings and structures shall be protected from frost by one or more of the following methods:

- (1) Extending below the frost line of the locality;
- (2) Constructed in accordance with ASCE-32; and
- (3) Erected on solid rock.

Exception: Freestanding buildings meeting all of the following conditions shall not be required to be protected:

- 1. Classified in Importance Category IV, in accordance with Table 1604.5, or Occupancy Group U;
  - 2. Area of 1,000 square feet  $(93m^2)$  or less;
  - 3. Eave height of 10 feet (3048 mm) or less;
  - 4. Constructed of light-wood-framed construction.

Footings shall not bear on frozen soil unless such frozen condition is of a permanent character.

- $(5[\frac{5}{2}]7)$  New Sections 1805.5.8, 1805.5.8.1 1805.5.8.2 and 1805.5.9 are added as follows:
- 1805.5.8 Seismic requirements. Tables 1805.5(1) through 1805.5(4) shall be subject to the following limitations based on the seismic design category assigned to the structure as defined in Section 1616.

- 1805.5.8.1 Seismic requirements for concrete foundation walls. Concrete foundation walls constructed using Tables 1805.5(1) through 1805.5(4) shall be subject to the following:
- 1. Seismic Design Category A and B. Provide two No. 5 bars around window and door openings. Such bars shall extend at least 24 inches (610 mm) beyond the corners of the openings.
- 2. Seismic Design Category C. Tables shall not be used except as permitted for plain concrete members in Section 1910.4.
- 3. Seismic Design Categories D, E and F. Tables shall not be used except as allowed for plain concrete members in ACI 318, Section 22.10.
- 1805.5.8.2 Seismic requirements for masonry foundation walls. Masonry foundation walls constructed using Tables 1805.5(1) through 1805.5(4) shall be subject to the following:
- 1. Seismic Design Category A and B. No additional seismic requirements.
- 2. Seismic Design Category C. The requirements of Section 2106.4 shall apply.
- 3. Seismic Design Category D. The requirements of Section 2106.5 shall apply.
- 4. Seismic Design Categories E and F. The requirements of Section 2106.6 shall apply.
- 1805.5.9 Empirical foundation design. Group R, Division 3 Occupancies three stories or less in height, and Group U Occupancies, which are constructed in accordance with Section 2308, or with other methods employing repetitive wood-frame construction or repetitive cold-formed steel structural member construction, shall be permitted to have concrete foundations constructed in accordance with Table 1805.5.9.
  - (5[6]8) Table 1805.5.9 is added as follows:

Table 1805.5.9, entitled "Empirical Foundation Walls, dated September 1, 2002, published by the Department of Commerce, Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing is hereby adopted and incorporated by reference. Table 1805.5.9 identifies foundation requirements for empirical walls.

(5[7]9) Table 2305.3.3 is deleted and replaced with the following:

## TABLE 2305.3.3 MAXIMUM SHEAR WALL ASPECT RATIOS

TYPE

MAXIMUM HEIGHT-WIDTH RATIO

Wood structural panels or particleboard, nailed edges

For wind: 3 1/2:1 For seismic: 2:1a

- a. For design to resist seismic forces, shear wall aspect ratios greater than 2:1, but not exceeding 3 1/2:1, are permitted provided the allowable shear capacities in Table 2306.4.1 are multiplied by 2w/h.
  - ([58]60) A new section 2306.1.4 is added as follows:
- 2306.1.4 The allowable stress increase of 1.15 for snow load, shown in Table 2.3.2, Load Duration Factors,  $C_{\rm d},$  of the National Design Specifications, shall not be utilized at elevations above 5,000 feet (1524 M).
- $([\frac{59}{61})]$  Section 2308.6 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 2308.6 Foundation plates or sills. Foundations and footings shall be as specified in Chapter 18. Foundation plates or sills resting on concrete or masonry foundations shall comply with Section 2304.3.1 and shall be bolted or anchored by one of the following:
- 1. Foundation plates or sill shall be bolted or anchored to the foundation with not less than 1/2 inch (12.7 mm) diameter steel bolts or approved anchors. Bolts shall be embedded at least 7 inches (178 mm) into concrete or masonry, and spaced not more than 6 feet (1829 mm) apart. There shall be a minimum of two bolts or anchor straps per piece with one bolt or anchor strap located not more than 12 inches (305 mm) or less than 4 inches (102 mm) from each end of each piece.
- 2. Foundation plates or sills shall be bolted or anchored to the foundation with not less than 1/2 inch (12.7 mm) diameter steel bolts or approved anchors. Bolts shall be embedded at least 7 inches (178 mm) into concrete or masonry, and spaced not more than 32 inches (816 mm) apart. There shall be a minimum of two bolts or anchor straps per piece located not less than 4 inches (102 mm) from each end of each piece.

A properly sized nut and washer shall be tightened on each bolt to the plate.

(62) In Section 2902.1, the title for Table 2902.1 is deleted and replaced with the following and footnote g is added as follows:

#### TABLE 2902.1

## MINIMUM NUMBER OF PLUMBING FACILITIES<sup>a, g</sup> (see Sections 403.2 and 403.3)

FOOTNOTE: g. When provided, in public toilet facilities there shall be an equal number of diaper changing facilities in male toilet rooms and female toilet rooms.

 $(6[\theta]3)$  A new section 2902.1.1 is added as follows:

- 2902.1.1 Unisex toilets and bath fixtures. Fixtures located within unisex toilet and bathing rooms complying with section 2902 are permitted to be included in determining the minimum number of fixtures for assembly and mercantile occupancies.
- $(6[\pm]\underline{4})$  Section 3006.5 Shunt Trip, the following exception is added:

Exception: Hydraulic elevators and roped hydraulic elevators with a rise of 50 feet or less.

- $(6[\frac{2}{2}]5)$  In Section 3104.2, a second exception is added as follows:
- 2. For the purposes of calculating the number of Type B units required by Chapter 11, structurally connected buildings and buildings with multiple wings shall be considered one structure.
  - $(6[\frac{3}{2}]6)$  A new section 3402.5 is added as follows:
- 3402.5 Parapets and other appendages. Building constructed prior to 1975 with parapet walls, cornices, spires, towers, tanks, signs, statuary and other appendages shall have such appendages evaluated by a licensed engineer to determine resistance to design loads specified in this code when said building is undergoing reroofing, or alteration of or repair to said feature.

EXCEPTION: Group R-3 an U occupancies.

Original Plans and/or structural calculations may be utilized to demonstrate that the parapet or appendages are structurally adequate. When found to be deficient because of design or deteriorated condition, the engineer shall prepare specific recommendations to anchor, brace, reinforce or remove the deficient feature.

The maximum height of an unreinforced masonry parapet above the level of the diaphragm tension anchors or above the parapet braces shall not exceed one and one-half times the thickness of the parapet wall. The parapet height may be a maximum of two and one-half times its thickness in other than Seismic Design Categories D, E, or F. If the required parapet height exceeds this maximum height, a bracing system designed using the coefficients specified in Table 1621.2 shall support the top of the parapet. When positive diaphragm connections are absent, tension roof anchors shall be added. Approved alternative methods of equivalent strength will be considered when accompanied by engineer sealed drawings, details and calculations.

- (6[4]7) Section 3408.1 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 3408.1 Scope: The provision of sections 3408.2 through 3408.5 apply to maintenance, change of occupancy, additions and alterations to existing buildings, including those identified as

historic buildings.

Exceptions:

- 1. When maintenance, additions or alteration occur, Type B dwelling units required by section 1107.5.4 are not required to be provided in existing buildings and facilities.
- 2. When a change of occupancy in a building or portion of a building results in multiple dwelling units as determined in section 1107.5.4, not less than 20 percent of the dwelling units shall be Type B dwelling units. These dwelling units may be located on any floor of the building provided with an accessible route. Two percent, but not less than one, of the dwelling units shall be Type A dwelling units.
- $(6[\frac{5}{8}]8)$  Referenced standards number 1557-91 under ASTM in chapter 35 is deleted and replaced with the following:

#### TABLE

Standard Number	Title	Code Section
D1557-91 E01	Laboratory Compaction	1508.15.2
	Characteristics of soil	K1.1.2,
	using Modified Effort	K1.7.5

 $(6[\frac{1}{6}]9)$  A new appendix K, Grading, is added as follows: APPENDIX K - GRADING

K1.1 GENERAL

- K1.1.1 Scope. The provisions of this chapter apply to grading, excavation and earthwork construction, including fills and embankments. Where conflicts occur between the technical requirements of this chapter and the soils report, the soils report shall govern.
- K1.1.2 Standards. The following standards of quality
  shall apply:
- 1. ASTM D1557-91 E01, Test Method for Laboratory Compaction Characteristics of Soil Using Modified Effort (56,000 ft-lb/ft).
  - K1.2 DEFINITIONS
- K1.2.1 Definitions. For the purposes of this appendix chapter, the terms, phrases and words listed in this section and their derivatives shall have the indicated meanings.

BENCH. A relatively level step excavated into earth material on which fill is to be placed.

COMPACTION. The densification of a fill by mechanical means.

CUT. See Excavation.

DOWN DRAIN. A device for collecting water from a swale or ditch located on or above a slope, and safely delivering it to an approved drainage facility.

EROSION. The wearing away of the ground surface as a result of the movement of wind, water or ice.

EXCAVATION. The removal of earth material by artificial means, also referred to as a cut.

FILL. Deposition of earth materials by artificial means.

GRADE. The vertical location of the ground surface.

GRADE, EXISTING. The grade prior to grading.

GRADE, FINISHED. The grade of the site at the conclusion of all grading efforts.

GRADING. An excavation or fill or combination thereof.

KEY. A compacted fill placed in a trench excavated in earth material beneath the toe of a slope.

SLOPE. An inclined surface, the inclination of which is expressed as a ratio of horizontal distance to vertical distance.

TERRACE. A relatively level step constructed in the face of a graded slope for drainage and maintenance purposes.

- K1.3 PERMITS REQUIRED
- K1.3.1 Permits required. Except as exempted in Section K1.3.2, no grading shall be performed without first having obtained a permit therefor from the building official. A grading permit does not include the construction of retaining walls or other structures.
- K1.3.2 Exemptions. A grading permit shall not be required for the following:
- 1. Grading in an isolated, self-contained area, provided there is no danger to the public, and that such grading will not adversely affect adjoining properties.
- 2. Excavation for construction of a structure permitted under this code.
  - 3. Cemetery graves.
  - 4. Refuse disposal sites controlled by other regulations.
  - 5. Excavations for wells, or trenches for utilities.
- 6. Mining, quarrying, excavating, processing or stockpiling rock, sand, gravel, aggregate or clay controlled by other regulations, provided such operations do not affect the lateral support of, or significantly increase stresses in, soil on adjoining properties.
- 7. Exploratory excavations performed under the direction of a registered design professional for the sole purpose of preparing a soils report.

Exemption from the permit requirements of this appendix shall not be deemed to grant authorization for any work to be done in any manner in violation of the provisions of this code or any other laws or ordinances of this jurisdiction. The listed exemptions shall not apply to areas located in a floodway or floodplain regulated under Appendix G.

K1.4 PERMIT APPLICATION AND SUBMITTALS

- K1.4.1 Submittal requirements. In addition to the provisions of Section 105.3, the applicant shall state the estimated quantities of excavation and fill.
- K1.4.2 Site plan requirements. In addition to the provisions of Section 106, a grading plan shall show the existing grade and finished grade in contour intervals of sufficient clarity to indicate the nature and extent of the work and show in detail that it complies with the requirements of this code. The plans shall show the existing grade on adjoining properties in sufficient detail to identify how grade changes will conform to the requirements of this code.
- K1.4.3 Soils report. A soils report prepared by registered design professionals shall be provided which shall identify the nature and distribution of existing soils; conclusions and recommendations for grading procedures; soil design criteria for any structures or embankments required to accomplish the proposed grading; and, where necessary, slope stability studies, and recommendations and conclusions regarding site geology.

Exception: A soils report is not required where the building official determines that the nature of the work applied for is such that a report is not necessary.

K1.4.4 Liquefaction study. For sites with mapped maximum considered earthquake spectral response accelerations at short period ( $S_s$ ) greater than 0.5g as determined by Section 1615, a study of the liquefaction potential of the site shall be provided, and the recommendations incorporated in the plans.

Exception: A liquefaction study is not required where the building official determines from established local data that the liquefaction potential is low.

- K1.5 INSPECTIONS
- K.1.5.1 General. Inspections shall be governed by Section 109 of this code.
- K1.5.2 Special inspections. The special inspection requirements of Section 1704.7 shall apply to work performed under a grading permit where required by the building official.
  - K1.6 EXCAVATIONS
- K1.6.1 Maximum slope. The slope of cut surfaces shall be no steeper than is safe for the intended use, and shall be no steeper than 2 horizontal to 1 vertical (50%) unless the applicant furnishes a soils report justifying a steeper slope.
  - Exceptions:
- 1. A cut surface may be at a slope of 1.5 horizontal to 1 vertical (67%) provided that all the following are met:
- (a) it is not intended to support structures or surcharges;
  - (b) it is adequately protected against erosion;
  - (c) it is no more than 8 feet (2438 mm) in height; and

- (d) it is approved by the building official.
- 2. A cut surface in bedrock shall be permitted to be at a slope of 1 horizontal to 1 vertical (100%)
  - K1.7 FILLS
- K1.7.1 General. Unless otherwise recommended in the soils report, fills shall conform to provisions of this section.
- K1.7.2 Surface preparation. The ground surface shall be prepared to receive fill by removing vegetation, topsoil and other unsuitable materials, and scarifying the ground to provide a bond with the fill material.
- K1.7.3 Benching. Where existing grade is at a slope steeper than 5 horizontal to 1 vertical (20%) and the depth of the fill exceeds five feet (1524 mm) benching shall be provided in accordance with Figure K1.7.3 dated July 1, 2001, published by State and Local Building Codes Amendments, Department of Commerce, Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing, which is hereby adopted and incorporated by reference. A key shall be provided which is at least 10 feet (3048 mm) in width and two feet (610 mm) in depth.
- K1.7.4 Fill material. Fill material shall not include organic, frozen or other deleterious materials. No rock or similar irreducible material greater than 12 inches (305mm) in any dimension shall be included in fills.
- K1.7.5 Compaction. All fill material shall be compacted to 90% of maximum density as determined by ASTM D1557, Modified Proctor, in lifts not exceeding 12 inches (305 mm) in depth.
- K1.7.6 Maximum slope. The slope of fill surfaces shall be no steeper than is safe for the intended use. Fill slopes steeper than 2 horizontal to 1 vertical (50%) shall be justified by soils reports or engineering data.
  - K1.8 SETBACKS
- K1.8.1 General. Cut and fill slopes shall be set back from the property lines in accordance with this section. Setback dimensions shall be measured perpendicular to the property line and shall be as shown in Figure K1.8.1, dated July 1, 2001, published by State and Local Building Codes Amendments, Department of Commerce, Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing, which is hereby adopted and incorporated by reference. unless substantiating data is submitted justifying reduced setbacks.
- K1.8.2 Top of slope. The setback at the top of a cut slope shall not be less than that shown in Figure K1.8.1, or than is required to accommodate any required interceptor drains, whichever is greater.
- K1.8.3 Slope protection. Where required to protect adjacent properties at the toe of a slope from adverse effects of the grading, additional protection, approved by the building

official, shall be included. Such protection may include but shall not be limited to:

- 1. Setbacks greater than those required by Figure K1.8.1.
- 2. Provisions for retaining walls or similar construction.
- 3. Erosion protection of the fill slopes.
- 4. Provision for the control of surface waters.
- K1.9 DRAINAGE AND TERRACING
- K1.9.1 General. Unless otherwise recommended by a registered design professional, drainage facilities and terracing shall be provided in accordance with the requirements of this section.

Exception: Drainage facilities and terracing need not be provided where the ground slope is not steeper than 3 horizontal to 1 vertical (33%).

K1.9.2 Terraces. Terraces at least six feet (1829 mm) in width shall be established at not more than 30-foot (9144 mm) vertical intervals on all cut or fill slopes to control surface drainage and debris. Suitable access shall be provided to allow for cleaning and maintenance.

Where more than two terraces are required, one terrace, located at approximately mid-height, shall be at least 12 feet (3658 mm) in width.

Swales or ditches shall be provided on terraces. They shall have a minimum gradient of 20 horizontal to 1 vertical (5%) and shall be paved with concrete not less than three inches (76 mm) in thickness, or with other materials suitable to the application. They shall have a minimum depth of 12 inches (305 mm) and a minimum width of five feet (1524 mm).

A single run of swale or ditch shall not collect runoff from a tributary area exceeding 13,500 square feet (1256  $\rm m^2$ ) (projected) without discharging into a down drain.

- K1.9.3 Interceptor drains. Interceptor drains shall be installed along the top of cut slopes receiving drainage from a tributary width greater than 40 feet, measured horizontally. They shall have a minimum depth of one foot (305 mm) and a minimum width of three feet (915 mm). The slope shall be approved by the building official, but shall not be less than 50 horizontal to 1 vertical (2%). The drain shall be paved with concrete not less than three inches (76 mm) in thickness, or by other materials suitable to the application. Discharge from the drain shall be accomplished in a manner to prevent erosion and shall be approved by the building official.
- K1.9.4 Drainage across property lines. Drainage across property lines shall not exceed that which existed prior to grading. Excess or concentrated drainage shall be contained on site or directed to an approved drainage facility. Erosion of the ground in the area of discharge shall be prevented by installation of non-erosive down drains or other devices.

- K1.10 EROSION CONTROL
- K1.10.1 General. The faces of cut and fill slopes shall be prepared and maintained to control erosion. This control shall be permitted to consist of effective planting.

Exception: Erosion control measures need not be provided on cut slopes not subject to erosion due to the erosion-resistant character of the materials.

Erosion control for the slopes shall be installed as soon as practicable and prior to calling for final inspection.

K1.10.2 Other devices. Where necessary, check dams, cribbing, riprap or other devices or methods shall be employed to control erosion and provide safety.

#### R156-56-705. Local Amendments to the IBC.

The following are adopted as amendments to the IBC to be applicable to the following jurisdictions:

- (1) City of Farmington:
- Section 903.2.16 is adopted as follows:
- 903.2.16 Group R, Division 3 Occupancies. An automatic sprinkler system shall be installed throughout every dwelling in accordance with NFPA 13-D, when any of the following conditions are present:
- 1. The structure is over two stories high, as defined by the building code;
- 2. The nearest point of structure is more than 150 feet from the public way;
- 3. The total floor area of all stories is over 5,000 square feet (excluding from the calculation the area of the basement and/or garage); or
- 4. The structure is located on a street constructed after March 1, 2000 that has a gradient over 12% and, during fire department response, access to the structure will be gained by using such street. (If the access is intended to be from a direction where the steep gradient is not used, as determined by the Chief, this criteria shall not apply).

Such sprinkler system shall be installed in basements, but need not be installed in garages, under eves or in enclosed attic spaces, unless required by the Chief.

- (2) City of North Salt Lake
- Section 903.2.16 is adopted as follows:
- 903.2.16 Group R, Division 3 Occupancies. An automatic sprinkler system shall be installed throughout every dwelling in accordance with NFPA 13-D, when the following condition is present:
  - 1. The structure is over 6,200 square feet.

Such sprinkler system shall be installed in basements, but need not be installed in garages, under eves, or in enclosed attic spaces, unless required by the fire chief.

- (3) Park City Corporation and Park City Fire District: Section 903.2 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 903.2 Where required. Approved automatic sprinkler systems in new buildings and structures shall be provided in the location described in this section.

All new construction having more than 6,000 square feet on any one floor, except R-3 occupancy.

All new construction having more than two (2) stories, except R-3 occupancy.

All new construction having three (3) or more dwelling units, including units rented or leased, and including condominiums or other separate ownership.

All new construction in the Historic Commercial Business zone district, regardless of occupancy.

All new construction and buildings in the General Commercial zone district where there are side yard setbacks or where one or more side yard setbacks is less than two and one half (2.5) feet per story of height.

All existing building within the Historic District Commercial Business zone.

In [Section] Table 1505.1, the following is added as footnotes d and e:

- d. Wood roof covering <u>assemblies are [is ]</u>prohibited in <u>R-3 occupancies in areas with a combined rating of more than 11 using <u>Tables 1505.1.1 and 1505.1.2</u> [the following tables ]with a score of 9 for weather factors.</u>
- e. Wood roof covering assemblies shall have a Class A rating in occupancies other than R-3 in areas with a combined rating of more than 11 using Tables 1505.1.1 and 1505.1.2 with a score of 9 for weather factors. The owner of the building shall enter into a written and recorded agreement that the Class A rating of the roof covering assembly will not be altered through any type of maintenance process.

# TABLE 1505.1.1 WILDFIRE HAZARD SEVERITY SCALE

RATING	SLOPE	VEGETATION	
1	less than or equa	l to 10% Pinion-juniper	
2	10.1 - 20%	Grass-sagebrush	
3	greater than 20%	Mountain brush or softwoods	
[			
PROHIBITION/EXEMPTION TABLE			
RATING		WOOD ROOF PROHIBITION	
- less than	<del>or equal to 11 — —</del>	wood roofs are allowed	
<del>greater th</del>	<del>an or equal to 12 -</del>	wood roofs are prohibited]	
	TABLE 1505	.1.2	

### PROHIBITION/ALLOWANCE OF WOOD ROOFING

Rating	R-3 Occupancy	All Other Occupancies	
less than or			
equal to 11	wood roof covering	wood roof covering	
	assemblies per	assemblies per	
	Table 1505.1 are	Table 1505.1 are	
	allowed	allowed	
greater than or			
equal to 12	wood roof covering	wood roof covering	
	is prohibited	assemblies with a	
	·	Class A rating are	
		allowed	

Appendix C is adopted.

#### R156-56-707. Statewide Amendments to the IPC.

The following are adopted as amendments to the IPC to be applicable statewide:

- (1) In Section 202, the definition for "Backflow Backpressure, Low Head" is deleted in its entirety.
- (2) In Section 202, the definition for "Backsiphonage" is deleted and replaced with the following:

Backsiphonage. The backflow of potentially contaminated, polluted or used water into the potable water system as a result of the pressure in the potable water system falling below atmospheric pressure of the plumbing fixtures, pools, tanks or vats connected to the potable water distribution piping.

- (3) In Section 202, the following definition is added: Certified Backflow Preventer Assembly Tester. A person who has shown competence to test Backflow prevention assemblies to the satisfaction of the authority having jurisdiction under Subsection 19-4-104(4), Utah Code Ann. (1953), as amended.
- (4) In Section 202, the definition for "Cross Connection" is deleted and replaced with the following:

Cross Connection. Any physical connection or potential connection or arrangement between two otherwise separate piping systems, one of which contains potable water and the other either water of unknown or questionable safety or steam, gas or chemical, whereby there exists the possibility for flow from one system to the other, with the direction of flow depending on the pressure differential between the two systems (see "Backflow").

(5) In Section 202, the following definition is added: Heat Exchanger (Potable Water). A device to transfer heat between two physically separated fluids (liquid or steam), one of which is potable water. (6) In Section 202, the definition for "Potable Water" is deleted and replaced with the following:

Potable Water. Water free from impurities present in amounts sufficient to cause disease or harmful physiological effects and conforming to the Titles 19-4 and 19-5, Utah Code Ann. (1953), as amended and the regulations of the public health authority having jurisdiction.

- (7) In Section 202, the following definition is added:

  S-Trap. A trap having its weir installed above the inlet of the vent connection.
- ([7]8) In Section 202, the following definition is added: Trap Arm. That portion of a fixture drain between a trap weir and the vent fitting.
- $([\frac{\vartheta}{2}]\underline{9})$  In Section 202, the definition for "Water Heater" is deleted and replaced with the following:

Water Heater. A closed vessel in which water is heated by the combustion of fuels or electricity and is withdrawn for use external to the system at pressures not exceeding 160 psig (1100 kPa (gage)), including the apparatus by which heat is generated, and all controls and devices necessary to prevent water temperatures from exceeding 210 degrees Fahrenheit (99 degrees Celsius).

- ([9]10) Section 304.3 Meter Boxes is deleted.
- $(1[\theta]\underline{1})$  Section 304.4 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 304.4 Opening of Pipes. In or on the exterior habitable envelop of structures where openings have been made in walls, floors, or ceilings for the passage of pipes, the annular space between the opening and the pipe shall not exceed 1/2 inch (12.7 mm). Openings exceeding 1/2 inch (12.7 mm) shall be closed and protected by the installation of approved metal collars that are securely fastened to the adjoining structure.
- $(1[\frac{1}{2}]2)$  Section 305.8 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 305.8 Protection against physical damage. In concealed locations where piping, other than cast-iron or galvanized steel, is installed through holes or notches in studs, joists, rafters or similar members less than 1 1/2 inches (38 mm) from the nearest edge of the member, the pipe shall be protected by shield plates. Protective shield plates shall be minimum of 1/16 inch-thick (1.6 mm) steel, shall cover the area of the pipe where the member is notched or bored, and shall be at least the thickness of the framing member penetrated.
- (13) Section 305.5 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 305.5 Pipes through or under footings or foundation walls. Any pipe that passes under or through a footing or through a

<u>foundation wall shall be protected against structural</u> settlement.

(1[2]4) Section 305.10 is added as follows:

Section 305.10 Improper Connections. No drain, waste, or vent piping shall be drilled and tapped for the purpose of making connections.

- $(1[\frac{3}{2}]5)$  Section 311.1 is deleted.
- $(1[4]\underline{6})$  Section 312.9 is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:
- 312.9 Backflow assembly testing. The premise owner or his designee shall have backflow prevention assemblies operation tested at the time of installation, repair and relocation and at least on an annual basis thereafter, or more frequently as required by the authority having jurisdiction. Testing shall be performed by a Certified Backflow Preventer Assembly Tester. The assemblies that are subject to this paragraph are the Spill Resistant Vacuum Breaker, the Pressure Vacuum Breaker Assembly, the Double Check Backflow Prevention Assembly, the Double Check Detector Assembly Backflow Preventer, the Reduced Pressure Principle Backflow Preventer, and Reduced Pressure Detector Assembly, and the spring loaded check valve assembly described in Section 608.16.4.
- (17) In Section 403.1, the title for Table 403.1 is deleted and replaced with the following title and footnote g is added as follows:

### TABLE 403.1

# MINIMUM NUMBER OF PLUMBING FACILITIES<sup>a, g</sup> (see Sections 403.2 and 403.3)

FOOTNOTE: g. When provided, in public toilet facilities there shall be an equal number of diaper changing facilities in male toilet rooms and female toilet rooms.

- $(1[\frac{5}{3}]8)$  A new section 403.7 is added as follows:
- 403.7 Hand sink location. Hand sinks in commercial food establishments shall be located accessible to food preparation areas, food service areas, dishwashing areas, and toilet rooms in accordance with Rule R392-100, Utah Administrative Code. Hand sinks in child care facilities shall be installed in accordance with R430-100-21, Utah Administrative Code.
- (19) In Section 406.3, an exception is added as follows:

  Exception: Gravity discharge clothes washers, when properly trapped and vented, shall be allowed to be directly connected to the drainage system or indirectly discharge into a properly sized catch basin, trench drain, or other approved indirect waste receptor installed for the purpose of receiving such waste.
  - (20) A new section 406.4 is added as follows:

- 406.4 Automatic clothes washer metal safe pans. Metal safe pans, when installed under automatic clothes washers, shall only be allowed to receive the unintended discharge from a leaking appliance, valve, supply hose, or overflowing waste water from the clothes washer standpipe. Clothes washer metal safe pans shall not be used as indirect waste receptors to receive the discharge of waste water from any other equipment, appliance, appurtenance, drain pipe, etc. Each safe pan shall be provided with an approved trap seal primer, conforming to ASSE 1018 or 1044 or a deep seal trap. The sides of the safe pan shall be no less than 1 1/2" high and shall be soldered at the joints to provide a water tight seal.
- 406.4.1 Safe pan outlet. The safe pan shall be no less than 1 1/2" in diameter and shall be located in a visible and accessible location to facilitate cleaning and maintenance. The outlet shall be flush with the surface of the pan so as not to allow water retention within the pan.
- $([\frac{16}{21})]$  Section 412.1 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 412.1 Approval. Floor drains shall be made of ABS, PVC, cast-iron, stainless steel, brass, or other approved materials that are listed for the use.
  - $([\frac{17}{2}]22)$  Section 412.5 is added as follows:
- 412.5 Public toilet rooms. All public toilet rooms shall be equipped with at least one floor drain[of the following:
  - 1. one floor drain with a wall mounted hose bibb;
    - 2. one floor drain with a deep seal trap; or
    - 3. at least one emergency floor drain with trap primer].
- (23) Section 417.5.2 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 417.5.2 Shower lining. Floors under show compartments, except where prefabricated receptors have been provided, shall be lined and made water tight utilizing material complying with Sections 417.5.2.1 through 417.5.2.4. Such liners shall turn up on all sides at least three inches (76.2 mm) above the finished threshold level. Liners shall be recessed and fastened to an approved backing so as not to occupy the space required for wall covering, and shall not be nailed or perforated at any point less than two inches (50.8 mm) above finished threshold. Liners shall be pitched one-fourth unit vertical in 12 units horizontal (2-percent slope) and shall be sloped towards the fixture drains and be securely fastened to the waste outlet at the seepage entrance, making a watertight joint between the liner and the outlet.
- $([\frac{18}{24})]$  Section 418.1 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 418.1 Approval. Sinks shall conform to ANSI Z124.6, ASME A112.19.1, ASME A112.19.2, ASME A112.19.3, ASME A112.19.4, ASME

- A112.19.9, CSA B45.1, CSA B45.2, CSA B45.3, CSA B45.4 or NSF 2. (25) Section 424.5 (in the fourth printing) is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 424.5 Shower Valves. Shower and tub-shower combination valves shall be balanced pressure, thermostatic or combination balanced-pressure/thermostatic valves that conform to the requirements of ASSE 1016 or CSA B125. Multiple (gang) showers supplied with a single tempered water supply pipe shall have the water supply for such showers controlled by an approved master thermostatic mixing valve. Shower and tub-shower combination valves and master thermostatic mixing valves required by this section shall be equipped with a means to limit the maximum setting of the valve to 120 degrees F (49 degrees C), which shall be field adjusted in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions. The water heater thermostat shall not be used as a water tempering device to meet this requirement.
- $([19]\underline{26})$  [Section 502.4 is deleted in its entirety.] The exception to Section 502.4 is deleted and replaced with the following:

Exceptions: The exceptions are specified in exceptions 1 to 5 listed in the IFGC Section 303.3.

- $(2[\theta]\underline{7})$  Section 502.6 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 502.6 Water Heater Seismic Bracing. Water heaters shall be anchored or strapped in the upper third of the appliance to resist a horizontal force equal to one third the operating weight of the water heater, acting in any horizontal direction, or in accordance with the appliance manufacturers recommendations.
- $(2[\frac{1}{2}]8)$  Section 504.6.2 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 504.6.2 Material. Relief valve discharge piping shall be of those materials listed in [Section] Table 605.5 and meet the requirements for Section 605.5 or shall be tested, rated and approved for such use in accordance with ASME A112.4.1. Piping from safety pan drains shall meet the requirements of Section 804.1 and be constructed [be-] of those materials listed in Section 702[Table 605.5 and Table 701.1].
  - $(2[\frac{2}{2}]9)$  Section 504.7.1 is amended as follows:

The measurement of "3/4 inch" in the last sentence of the paragraph is replaced with the measurement " $1\ 1/2$  inch".

- $([\frac{23}{30}])$  Section 504.7.2 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 504.7.2 Pan drain termination. The pan drain shall extend full-size and terminate over a suitably located indirect waste receptor, floor drain or extend to the exterior of the building and terminate not less than 6 inches (152 mm) and not more than 24 inches (610 mm) above the adjacent ground surface. When

permitted by the administrative authority, the pan drain may be directly connected to a soil stack, waste stack, or branch drain. The pan drain shall be individually trapped and vented as required in Section 907.1. The pan drain shall not be directly or indirectly connected to any vent. The trap shall be provided with a trap primer conforming to ASSE 1018 or ASSE 1044.

- ([24]31) A new section 504.7.3 is added as follows:
- 504.7.3 Pan Designation. A water heater pan shall be considered an emergency receptor designated to receive the discharge of water from the water heater only and shall not receive the discharge from any other fixtures, devises or equipment.
- $([\frac{25}{32}]$  Section 602.3 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 602.3 Individual water supply. Where a potable public water supply is not available, individual sources of potable water supply shall be utilized provided that the source has been developed in accordance with Sections 73-3-1, 73-3-3, and 73-3-25, Utah Code Ann. (1953), as amended, as administered by the Department of Natural Resources, Division of Water Rights. In addition, the quality of the water shall be approved by the local health department having jurisdiction. The source shall supply sufficient quantity of water to comply with the requirements of this chapter.
- $([\frac{26}{33}])$  Sections 602.3.1, 602.3.2, 602.3.3, 602.3.4, 602.3.5 and 602.3.5.1 are deleted in their entirety.
  - $([\frac{27}{34}]34)$  Section 604.4.1 is added as follows:
- 604.4.1 Metering faucets. Self closing or metering faucets shall provide a flow of water for at least 15 seconds without the need to reactivate the faucet.
- $([\frac{28}{35}])$  Section 606.2 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 606.2 Location of shutoff valves. Shutoff valves shall be installed in the following locations:
  - 1. On the fixture supply to each plumbing fixture. Exceptions:
  - A. bath tubs and showers.
- B. in individual guest rooms that are provided with unit shutoff valves in hotels, motels, boarding houses and similar occupancies.
- 2. On the water supply pipe to each appliance or mechanical equipment.
- $([\frac{29}{36}])$  Section 606.5 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 606.5 Water pressure booster systems. Water pressure booster systems shall be provided as required by Section 606.5.1 through 606.5.11.

 $(3[\theta]7)$  Section 606.5.11 is added as follows:

606.5.11 Prohibited installation. In no case shall a booster pump be allowed that will lower the pressure in the public main to less than 20 psi.

 $(3[\frac{1}{2}]8)$  In Section 608.1, the following sentence is added at the end of the paragraph:

Connection without an air gap between potable water piping and sewer-connected waste shall not exist under any condition.

 $(3[\frac{2}{2}]9)$  Table 608.1 is deleted and replaced with the following:

# TABLE 608.1 General Methods of Protection

General Methods of Protection			
Assembly (applicable	_	Application	Installation Criteria
standard) Air Gap (ASME A112.1	High or	Backsiphonage	See Table 608.15.1
Reduced Pressure Principle Bac Preventer (AF C511, USC-FCC ASSE 1013 CSA CNA/CSA-F and Reduced F Detector Asse (ASSE 1047, FCCCHR)	Low ckflow WWA CCHR, B64.4) Pressure	Backpressure or Backsiphonage 1/2" - 16"	<ul> <li>a. The bottom of each RP assembly shall be a minimum of 12 inches above the ground or floor.</li> <li>b. RP assemblies shall NOT be installed in a pit.</li> <li>c. The relief valve on each RP assembly shall not be directly connected</li> </ul>

drains,

or vents.

to any waste disposal line,

sewer, storm

including sanitary

d. The assembly shall be installed in a horizontal position only unless listed or approved for vertical installation.

Double Check Low Backpressure or a. If installed in a

Backflow Backsiphonage pit, the DC assembly Prevention 1/2" - 16" shall be installed Assembly with a minimum of (AWWA C510, 12 inches of clearance between USC-FCCCHR, ASSE 1015) all sides of the Double Check vault including Detector Assembly the floor and roof or ceiling with Backflow Preventer (ASSE 1048, adequate room for USC-FCCCHR) testing and maintenance. b. Shall be installed in a horizontal position unless listed or approved for vertical installation. Backsiphonage a. Shall not be Pressure High or 1/2" - 2" installed in an Vacuum Low Breaker area that could be Assembly subjected to (ASSE 1020, backpressure or USC-FCCCHR) back drainage conditions. b. Shall be installed a minimum of 12 inches above all downstream piping and the highest point of use. c. Shall not be installed below ground or in a vault or pit. d. Shall be installed in a vertical position only. Spill High or Backsiphonage a. Shall not be 1/4" - 2" Resistant Low installed in an Vacuum area that could Breaker be subjected to (ASSE 1056, backpressure or

USC-FCCCHR)

back drainage conditions.

b. Shall be installed a minimum of 12 inches above all downstream piping and the highest point of use.

- c. Shall not be installed below ground or in a vault or pit.
- d. Shall be installed in a vertical position only.
- a. Shall not be installed in an area that could be

backpressure or

subjected to

drainage

- b. Shall not be installed where it may be subjected to continuous pressure for more than 12 consecutive hours at any time.
- c. Shall be installed a minimum of six inches above all downstream piping and the highest point of use.
- d. Shall be installed
   on the discharge
   (downstream) side
   of any valves.
- e. The AVB shall be installed in a vertical position only.

The assembly owner, when necessary, shall provide devices or

Atmospheric High or Vacuum Low Breaker (ASSE 1001 USC-FCCCHR, back CSA CAN/CSA-B64.1.1 conditions.

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structures to facilitate testing, repair, and/or maintenance and to insure the safety of the backflow technician.

Assemblies shall not be installed more than five feet off the floor

unless

platform

a permanent

is installed.

The body of the assembly shall not be closer than 12 inches to any wall, ceiling or incumbrance, and shall be accessible for testing, repair and/or maintenance.

In cold climates, assemblies shall be protected from freezing by a means acceptable to the code official.

Assemblies shall be maintained as an intact assembly.

# ([33]40) Table 608.1.1 is added as follows:

# TABLE 608.1.1 Specialty Backflow Devices for low hazard use only

Device	Degree of Hazard	Application	Applicable Standard
Antisiphon-type Water Closet Flush Tank Ball Cock	Low	Backsiphonage	ASSE 1002 CSA CAN/ CSA-B125

Dual check valve Backflow Preventer	Low	Backsiphonage or Backpressure 1/4" - 1"	ASSE 1024
Backflow Preventer with Intermediate Atmospheric Vent	Low Residential Boiler	Backsiphonage or Backpressure 1/4" - 3/4"	ASSE 1012 CSA CAN/ CSA-B64.3
Dual check valve type Backflow Preventer for Carbonated Beverage Dispensers/Post Mix Type	Low	Backsiphonage or Backpressure 1/4" - 3/8"	ASSE 1032
Hose-connection Vacuum Breaker	Low	Backsiphonage 1/2", 3/4", 1"	ASSE 1011 CSA CAN/ CSA-B64.2
Vacuum Breaker Wall Hydrants, Frost-resistant, Automatic Draining Type	Low	Backsiphonage 3/4", 1"	ASSE 1019 CSA CAN/ CSA-B64.2.2
Laboratory Faucet Backflow Preventer	Low	Backsiphonage	ASSE 1035 CSA CAN/ CSA-B64.7
Hose Connection Backflow Preventer	Low	Backsiphonage 1/2" - 1"	ASSE 1052
Installation Guidelines: The above specialty devices shall be			

Installation Guidelines: The above specialty devices shall be installed in accordance with their listing and the manufacturer's instructions and the specific provisions of this chapter.

- ([34]41) In Section 608.3.1, the following sentence is added at the end of the paragraph:
- All piping and hoses shall be installed below the atmospheric vacuum breaker.
  - ([35]42) Section 608.7 is deleted in its entirety.
- $([\frac{36}{43}]$  In Section 608.8, the following sentence is added at the end of the paragraph:

In addition each nonpotable water outlet shall be labeled with the words "CAUTION: UNSAFE WATER, DO NOT DRINK".

 $([\frac{37}{44}])$  In Section 608.11, the following sentence is added at the end of the paragraph:

The coating shall conform to NSF Standard 61 and application of the coating shall comply with the manufacturers instructions.

- $([\frac{38}{45}])$  Section 608.13.3 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 608.13.3 Backflow preventer with intermediate atmospheric vent. Backflow preventers with intermediate atmospheric vents shall conform to ASSE 1012 or CAS CAN/CAS-B64.3. These devices shall be permitted to be installed on residential boilers only where subject to continuous pressure conditions. The relief opening shall discharge by air gap and shall be prevented from being submerged.
  - $([\frac{39}{46}])$  Section 608.13.4 is deleted in its entirety.
- $(4[\theta]\underline{7})$  Section 608.15.3 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 608.15.3 Protection by a backflow preventer with intermediate atmospheric vent. Opening and outlets to residential boilers only shall be protected by a backflow preventer with an intermediate atmospheric vent.
- $(4[\pm]8)$  Section 608.15.4 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- outlets shall be protected by atmospheric-type or pressure-type vacuum breakers. The critical level of the atmospheric vacuum breaker shall be set a minimum of 6 inches (152 mm) above the flood level rim of the fixture or device. The critical level of the pressure vacuum breaker shall be set a minimum of 12 inches (304 mm) above the flood level rim of the fixture or device. Ball cocks shall be set in accordance with Section 425.3.1. Vacuum breakers shall not be installed under exhaust hoods or similar locations that will contain toxic fumes or vapors. Pipeapplied vacuum breakers shall be installed not less than 6 inches (152 mm) above the flood level rim of the fixture, receptor or device served. No valves shall be installed downstream of the atmospheric vacuum breaker.
- (4[2]9) [In-]Section 608.15.4.2 is deleted and replaced with the following: [, the following is added at the end of the paragraph:
- In climates where freezing temperatures occur, a listed, self-draining frost proof hose bibb with an integral backflow preventer shall be used.
- hydrants and other openings with a hose connection shall be protected by an atmospheric-type or pressure-type vacuum breaker or a permanently attached hose connection vacuum breaker. Addon-type backflow prevention devices shall be non-removable. In climates where freezing temperatures occur, a listed self-draining frost proof hose bibb with an integral backflow

preventer shall be used.

- ([43]50) Section 608.16.1 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 608.16.1 Beverage dispensers. Potable water supply to carbonators shall be protected by a vented dual check valve meeting ASSE Standard 1022 and installed according to the requirements of this chapter.
- ([44]51) In Section 608.16.2, the first sentence of the paragraph is deleted and replaced as follows:
- 608.16.2 The potable water supply to the residential boiler shall be equipped with a backflow preventer with an intermediate atmospheric vent complying with ASSE 1012 or CSA CAN/CSA B64.3.
- ([45]52) Section 608.16.3 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 608.16.3 Heat exchangers. Heat exchangers shall be separated from potable water by double-wall construction. An air gap open to the atmosphere shall be provided between the two walls.

# Exceptions:

- 1. Single wall heat exchangers shall be permitted when all of the following conditions are met:
- a. Utilize a heat transfer medium of potable water or contains only substances which are recognized as safe by the United States Food and Drug Administration (FDA);
- b. The pressure of the heat transfer medium is maintained less than the normal minimum operating pressure of the potable water system; and
- c. The equipment is permanently labeled to indicate only additives recognized as safe by the FDA shall be used.
  - 2. Steam systems that comply with paragraph 1 above.
  - 3. Approved listed electrical drinking water coolers.
- [  $\underline{\hspace{0.5cm}}$  (46) Section 608.16.4 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- Section 608.16.4 Connections to automatic fire sprinkler systems and standpipe systems. The potable water supply to automatic fire sprinkler and standpipe systems shall be protected against backflow by an alarm check valve and spring loaded check valve assembly as shown on the diagram entitled "Riser Detail", dated July 1, 1999, published by State and Local Building Codes Amendments, Department of Commerce, Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing, which is hereby adopted and incorporated by reference.

## EXCEPTIONS:

1. When systems are installed as a portion of the water distribution system in accordance with the requirements of this code and are not provided with a fire department connection, isolation of the water supply system shall not be required.

- 2. Isolation of the water distribution system is not required for deluge, preaction or dry pipe systems.
- 3. When the sprinkler supply line is less than four inches in diameter and a resilient seated spring loaded single check valve, approved and testable for back flow prevention is not available, then an alternate, approved for fire sprinkler system use, spring loaded check valve is allowed.
- (47) Section 608.16.4.1 is deleted and replaced with the following:

Section 608.16.4.1 Additives or nonpotable source. Where systems contain chemical additives or antifreeze, or where systems are connected to a nonpotable secondary water supply, the potable water supply shall be protected against backflow by a reduced pressure principle backflow preventor. Where chemical additives or antifreeze are added to only a portion of an automatic fire sprinkler or standpipe system, the reduced pressure principle backflow preventer shall be permitted to be located so as to isolate that portion of the system.

# - Exception:

- 1. For systems that use antifreeze only consisting of strictly pure glycerine (C.P. or U.S.P. 96.5 percent grade) or propylene glycol, equipment specified in Section 608.16.4 shall be used.
- (48) Section 608.16.4.2 is added as follows:

  Section 608.16.4.2 Testing Procedures. The testing procedures are as follows:
- 1. The check valves are to be tested by a currently certified Class II Backflow Technician in accordance with Rule R309-302 available from the Department of Environmental Quality.
- 2. All other mechanical devices attached to or part of a class I or class II fire sprinkler system shall be tested by a licensed fire sprinkler contractor.]
- (53) In Section 608.16.4.1, add the following exception:

  Exception: All class 1 and 2 systems containing chemical additives consisting of strictly glycerine (C.P. or U.S.P. 96.5 percent grade) or propylene glycol shall be protected against backflow with a double check valve assembly. Such systems shall include written certification of the chemical additives at the time of original installation and service or maintenance.
- ([49]54) Section 608.16.6 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 608.16.6 Connections to lawn irrigation systems. The potable water supply to lawn irrigation systems shall be protected against backflow by an atmospheric-type vacuum breaker, a pressure-type vacuum breaker, a double check valve backflow preventer or a reduced pressure principle backflow preventer. A valve shall not be installed downstream from an atmospheric vacuum breaker. Where chemicals are introduced into

the system, the potable water supply shall be protected against backflow by a reduced pressure principle backflow preventer.

- $(5[\theta]\underline{5})$  Section 608.16.7 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 608.16.7 Chemical dispensers. Where chemical dispensers connect to the water distribution system, the water supply system shall be protected against backflow in accordance with Section 608.13.1, Section 608.13.2, Section 608.13.5, Section 608.13.6 or Section 608.13.8.
- $(5[\frac{1}{2}]\underline{6})$  Section 608.16.8 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 608.16.8 Portable cleaning equipment. Where the portable cleaning equipment connects to the water distribution system, the water supply system shall be protected against backflow in accordance with Section 608.13.1, Section 608.13.2 or Section 608.13.8.
- $(5[\frac{2}{2}]\frac{7}{2})$  Section 608.16.9 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 608.16.9 Dental pump equipment or water syringe. Where dental pumping equipment or water syringes connects to the water distribution system, the water supply system shall be protected against backflow in accordance with Section 608.13.1, Section 608.13.2, Section 608.13.5, Section 608.13.6 or Section 608.13.8.
  - $(5[\frac{3}{3}]8)$  Section 608.16.10 is added as follows:
- 608.16.10 Automatic and coin operated car washes. The water supply to an automatic or coin operated car wash shall be protected in accordance with Section 608.13.1 or Section 608.13.2.
  - (5[4]9) Section 608.17 is deleted in its entirety.
- $([55]\underline{60})$  Section 701.2 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 701.2 Sewer required. Every building in which plumbing fixtures are installed and all premises having drainage piping shall be connected to a public sewer where the sewer is within 300 feet of the property line in accordance with Section 10-8-38, Utah Code Ann., (1953), as amended; or an approved private sewage disposal system in accordance with Rule R317-5501 through R317-513 and Rule R317-5, Utah Administrative Code, as administered by the Department of Environmental Quality, Division of Water Quality.
- $([56]\underline{61})$  Section 802.1.1 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 802.1.1 Food handling. Equipment and fixtures utilized for the storage, preparation and handling of food shall discharge through an indirect waste pipe by means of an air gap.

Exception: This requirement shall not apply to dishwashing machines and dishwashing sinks. If used for dishwashing and

food preparation, a minimum of one compartment of the dishwashing sink shall be drained through an indirect waste pipe by means of an air gap or an air break.

([57]62) Section 802.3 is amended as follows:

The term "waste receptors" in the last sentence of the paragraph is replaced with the term "floor sinks".

- $([58]\underline{63})$  Section 802.3.2 is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:
- 802.3.2 Open hub waste receptors. Waste receptors for clear water waste shall be permitted in the form of a hub or pipe extending not more than 1/2 inch above a water impervious floor and are not required to have a strainer.
- $([\frac{59}{64}])$  Section 803.2 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 803.2 Neutralizing device required for corrosive wastes. Corrosive liquids, spent acids or other harmful chemicals that destroy or injure a drain, sewer, soil or waste pipe, or create noxious or toxic fumes or interfere with sewage treatment processes, shall not be discharged into the plumbing system without being thoroughly diluted, neutralized or treated by passing through an approved dilution or neutralizing device. Such devices shall be provided with a sufficient supply of diluting water or neutralizing medium as to make the contents non-injurious before discharge into the drainage system. The nature of the corrosive or harmful waste and the method of its treatment or dilution shall be approved prior to installation.
- $(6[\theta]5)$  Section 904.1 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 904.1 Roof extensions. All open vent pipes that extend through a roof shall be terminated at least 12 inches (304.8 mm) above the roof, except that where a roof is to be used for any purpose other than weather protection, the vent extension shall be run at least 7 feet (2134 mm) above the roof.
- $(6[\pm]\underline{6})$  In Section 904.6, the following sentence is added at the end of the paragraph:

Vents extending through the wall shall terminate not less than 12 inches from the wall with an elbow pointing downward.

(6[2]7) In Section 905.4, the following sentence is added at the end of the paragraph:

Horizontal dry vents below the flood level rim shall be permitted for floor drain and floor sink installations when installed in accordance with Sections 702.2, 905.2 and 905.3 and provided with a wall clean out.

- $(6[\frac{3}{8}]8)$  Section 1002.2 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 1002.2 Design of traps. Fixture traps shall be self-scouring. Fixture traps shall not have interior partitions, except where such traps are integral with the fixture or where

such traps are constructed of an approved material that is resistant to corrosion and degradation. Slip joints shall be made with an approved elastomeric gasket and shall only be installed on the trap inlet, trap outlet and within the trap seal. One slip joint fitting shall be allowed to be installed downstream of the trap.

- (6[4]9) Section 1002.8 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 1002.8 Recess for trap connection. A recess provided for connection of the underground trap, such as one serving a bathtub in slab-type construction, shall have sides and a bottom of corrosion-resistant, insect- and vermin-proof construction. The annular space between the pipe and the penetration shall not exceed 1/2 inch (12.7 mm).
- [ (65) Section 1002.4.1 is added as follows:
- 1002.4.1 Emergency floor drains. Each emergency floor drain shall be installed with a trap seal primer. Trap seal primer shall conform to ASSE 1018 or ASSE 1044.]
  - ([66]70) Section 1003.3.5 is added as follows:
- 1003.3.5 Grease trap restriction. Unless specifically required or permitted by the code official, no food waste grinder or dishwasher shall be connected to or discharge into any grease trap.
- ([67]71) Section 1104.2 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 1104.2 Combining storm and sanitary drainage prohibited. The combining of sanitary and storm drainage systems is prohibited.
  - ([68]72) Section 1108 is deleted in its entirety.
  - ([69]73) Section 1204 is amended to read:
- 1204 Fuel gas piping systems. All fuel gas piping systems shall be sized, installed, tested and placed in operation in accordance with the requirements of the International Mechanical Code.
  - ([70]74) Section 1205 is amended to read:
  - Section 1205 CNG GAS-DISPENSING SYSTEMS
- 1205.1 Dispenser protection. The gas dispenser shall have an emergency switch to shut off the power to the dispenser. An approved backflow device that prevents the reverse flow of gas shall be installed on the gas supply pipe or in the gas dispenser.
- 1205.2 Ventilation. Gas-dispensing systems installed inside the structure shall be ventilated by mechanical means in accordance with the 1998 International Mechanical Code.
- 1205.3 Compressed natural gas vehicular fuel systems. Compressed natural gas (CNG) fuel-dispensing systems for CNG-fueled vehicles shall be designed and installed in accordance

with NFPA 52 and the fire code as adopted by the State Fire Marshal.

 $(7[\pm]5)$  Chapter 14, Referenced Standards, is amended as follows:

NSF - Standard Reference Number 61-99 - The following referenced in code section number is added: 608.11

The following reference standard is added:

#### TABLE

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 $(7[\frac{2}{3}]6)$  Appendix C of the IPC, Gray Water Recycling Systems, shall not be adopted by any jurisdiction until approved by the Department of Health and the Department of Environmental Quality.

#### R156-56-709. Statewide Amendments to the IFGC.

The following are adopted as amendments to the IFGC to be applicable statewide:

(1) Chapter 3, Section 306.5 Appliances on roofs or elevated structures is amended by adding the following exception at the end of the paragraph:

Exception: R-3 occupancies.

(2) Chapter 3, Section 306.6 Guards is amended by adding the following exception at the end of the paragraph:

Exception: R-3 occupancy.

- (3) Chapter 4, Section 401 General, a new section 401.9 is added as follows:
- 401.9 Meter location. Gas meters shall be located so as to be protected from physical damage, including ice and snow falling from roofs.
- $([\frac{3}{4}])$  Chapter 5, Section 503.10.13 Inspection is amended as follows:
- 503.10.13 Inspection. The entire length of a single wall vent connector shall be provided with ready access for inspection, cleaning, and replacement.
- ([4] $\underline{5}$ ) Chapter 5, Section 504.3.5 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 504.3.5 Common vertical vent offset. Where the common vertical vent is offset as shown in Figure B-12, the maximum

common vent capacity listed in the common venting tables shall be reduced by 5% per fitting for all offsets of 45 degrees or less and 10% per fitting for all offsets greater than 45 degrees. The total horizontal length of the common vent offsets ( $L_M$ ) shall not exceed 1 1/2 feet for each inch (18 mm per mm) of common vent diameter (D).

#### R156-56-710. Statewide Amendments to the IECC.

The following are adopted as amendments to the IECC to be applicable statewide:

- (1) In Section 504.7, the following exception is added:

  Exception: Heat traps, other than the arrangement of piping and fittings, shall be prohibited unless a means of controlling thermal expansion can be ensured as required in the IPC Section 607.3.
- (2) Section 801.2 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 801.2 Application. The requirements in Section 802, 803, 804, and 805 shall each be satisfied on an individual basis. Where one or more of these sections is not satisfied, compliance with that section shall be demonstrated in accordance with the applicable provisions of ANSI/ASHRAE/IESNA Standard 90.1-1999 Energy Standard for Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings.
- ([2]3) Chapter 9 Reverence Standards, ASHRAE, Item 4 is deleted and replaced with the following:

ANSI/ASHRAE/IESNA - Energy Standard for Buildings Except Low Rise Residential Buildings 503.1, 701.101.2, 802.1 and 802.2.

#### R156-56-711. Statewide Amendments to the IRC.

The following are adopted as amendments to the IRC to be applicable statewide:

- (1) All amendments to the IBC under Section R156-56-704, local amendments under Section R156-56-705, the NEC under Section R156-56-706, the IPC under Section R156-56-707, the IMC under Section R156-56-708, the IFGC under Section R156-56-709 and the IECC under Section R156-56-710 which may be applied to detached one and two family dwellings and multiple single family dwellings shall be applicable to the corresponding provisions of the IRC. All references to the International Electrical Code are deleted and replaced with the National Electrical Code adopted under Section R156-56-701(1)(b). Should there be any conflicts between the NEC and the IRC, the NEC shall prevail.
- (2) In Section R202, the definition of "Backsiphonage" is deleted and replaced with the following:

BACKSIPHONAGE: The backflow of potentially contaminated, polluted or used water into the potable water system as a result

of the pressure in the potable water system falling below atmospheric pressure of the plumbing fixtures, pools, tanks or vats connected to the potable water distribution piping.

- (3) In Section R202 the following definition is added: CERTIFIED BACKFLOW PREVENTER ASSEMBLY TESTER: A person who has shown competence to test Backflow prevention assemblies to the satisfaction of the authority having jurisdiction under Subsection 19-4-104(4), Utah Code Ann. (1953), as amended.
- (4) In Section R202 the definition of "Cross Connection" is deleted and replaced with the following:

CROSS CONNECTION. Any physical connection or potential connection or arrangement between two otherwise separate piping systems, one of which contains potable water and the other either water of unknown or questionable safety or steam, gas or chemical, whereby there exists the possibility for flow from one system to the other, with the direction of flow depending on the pressure differential between the two systems(see "Backflow, Water Distribution").

- (5) In Section R202 the following definition is added: HEAT exchanger (Potable Water). A device to transfer heat between two physically separated fluids (liquid or steam), one of which is potable water.
- (6) In  $[\pm]$ Section R202 the definition of "Potable Water" is deleted and replaced with the following:

POTABLE WATER. Water free from impurities present in amounts sufficient to cause disease or harmful physiological effects and conforming to the Titles 19-4 and 19-5, Utah Code Ann. (1953), as amended and the regulations of the public health authority having jurisdiction.

- (7) In Section R202, the following definition is added:

  S-Trap. A trap having it's weir installed above the inlet of the vent connection.
- ([7]8) In Section R202 the definition of "Water Heater" is deleted and replaced with the following:

WATER HEATER. A closed vessel in which water is heated by the combustion of fuels or electricity and is withdrawn for use externally to the system at pressures not exceeding 160 psig (1100 kPa (gage)), including the apparatus by which heat is generated, and all controls and devices necessary to prevent water temperatures from exceeding 210 degrees Fahrenheit (99 degrees Celsius).

- ([8]9) Section R301.4 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- R301.4 Live Load. The minimum uniformly distributed live load shall be as provided in Table R301.4.

# TABLE R301.4 MINIMUM UNIFORMLY DISTRIBUTED LIVE LOADS

### (in pounds per square foot)

USE	LIVE LOAD
Exterior balconies	60
Decks (f)	[ <del>40</del> ] <u>60</u>
Fire escapes	40
Passenger vehicle garages (a)	50(a)
Attics without storage (b), (e), (g)	10
Attics with storage (b), (e)	20
Rooms other than sleeping rooms	40
Sleeping rooms	30
Stairs	40(c)
Guardrails and handrails (d)	200

For SI: 1 pound per square foot =  $0.0479 \text{kN/m}^2$ , 1 square inch =  $645 \text{ mm}^2$  1 pound = 4.45 N.

- (a) Elevated garage floors shall be capable of supporting a 2,000-pound load applied over a 20-square-inch area.
- (b) No storage with roof slope not over 3 units in 12 units.
- (c) Individual stair treads shall be designed for the uniformly distributed live load or a 300-pound concentrated load acting over an area of 4 square inches, whichever produces the greater stresses.
- (d) A single concentrated load applied in any direction at any point along the top.
- (e) Attics constructed with wood trusses shall be designated in accordance with Section R802.10.1.
- (f) See Section R502.2.1 for decks attached to exterior walls.
- (g) This live load need not be considered as acting simultaneously with other live loads imposed upon the ceiling framing or its supporting structure.
- $([9]\underline{10})$  Section R304.3 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- R304.3 Minimum dimensions. Habitable rooms shall not be less than 7 feet (2134 mm) in any horizontal dimension.

Exception: Kitchens shall have a clear passageway of not less than 3 feet (914 mm) between counter fronts and appliances or counter fronts and walls.

- $([\frac{10}{11}])$  Section R309.2 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- R309.2 Separation required. The garage shall be separated from the residence and its attic area by installation of materials approved for one-hour fire-resistive construction applied to the garage side. Where the separation is a floor-ceiling assembly, the structure supporting the separation shall

also be protected by installation of materials approved for one-hour fire-resistive construction.

 $([\frac{11}{2}]\frac{12}{2})$  Section R312.1.2 is deleted and replaced with the following:

R312.1.2 Landings at doors. There shall be a floor or landing on each side of each exterior door.

Exception: At the exterior side of all non required exit doors. The floor or landing at a door shall not be more than 1.5 inches (38 mm) lower than the top of the threshold.

Exception: The landing of an exterior doorway shall not be more than 8 inches (197 mm) below the top of the threshold, provided that the door, other than an exterior storm or screen door, does not swing over the landing.

 $([\frac{12}{2}]\frac{13}{2})$  Section R314.2 is deleted and replaced with the following:

R314.2 Treads and risers. The maximum riser height shall be 8 inches (203 mm) and the minimum tread depth shall be 9 inches (229 mm). The riser height shall be measured vertically between leading edges of the adjacent treads. The tread depth shall be measured horizontally between the vertical planes of the foremost projection of adjacent treads and at a right angle to the tread's leading edge. The walking surface of treads and landings of a stairway shall be sloped no steeper than one unit vertical in 48 units horizontal (2-percent slope). The greatest riser height within any flight of stairs shall not exceed the smallest by more than 3/8 inch (9.5 mm). The greatest tread depth within any flight of stairs shall not exceed the smallest by more than 3/8 inch (9.5 mm).

R314.2.1 Profile. The radius of curvature at the leading edge of the tread shall be no greater than 9/16 inch (14.3 mm). A nosing not less than 3/4 inch (19.1 mm) but not more than 1 1/4 inches (32 mm) shall be provided on stairways with solid risers. The greatest nosing projection shall not exceed shall not exceed the smallest nosing projection by more than 3/8 inches (9.5 mm) between two stories, including the nosing at the level of floors and landings. Beveling of nosing shall not exceed 1/2 inch (12.7 mm). Risers shall be vertical or sloped from the underside of the leading edge of the tread above at an angle not more than 30 degrees from the vertical. Open risers are permitted, provided that the opening between treads does not permit the passage of a 4-inch diameter (102 mm) sphere.

Exceptions.

- 1. A nosing is not required where the tread depth is a minimum of 10 inches (254 mm).
- 2. The opening between adjacent treads is not limited on stairs with a total rise of 30 inches (762 mm) or less.
- $([\frac{13}{2}]\frac{14}{2})$  Section R315.1 is deleted and replaced with the following:

R315.1 Handrails. Handrails shall be provided on at least one side of stairways consisting of four or more risers. Handrails shall have a minimum height of 34 inches (864 mm) and a maximum height of 38 inches (965 mm) measured vertically from the nosing of the treads. All required handrails shall be continuous the full length of the stairs from a point directly above the top riser to a point directly above the lowest riser of the stairway. The ends of the handrail shall be returned into a wall or shall terminate in newel post or safety terminals. A minimum clear space of 1 1/2 inches (38 mm) shall be provided between the wall and the handrail.

# Exceptions:

- 1. Handrails shall be permitted to be interrupted by a newel post at a turn.
- 2. The use of a volute, turnout or starting easing shall be allowed over the lowest tread.
- (1[4]5) Section R315.2 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- R315.2 Handrail grip size. The handgrip portion of handrails shall have a circular cross section of  $1\ 1/4$  inches (32mm) minimum to  $2\ 5/8$  inches (67mm) maximum. Edges shall have a minimum radius of 1/8 inch (3.2mm).

Exception: Non-circular handrails shall be permitted to have a maximum cross sectional dimension of 3.25 inches (83mm) measured 2 inches (51 mm) down from the top of the crown. Such handrail is required to have an indentation on both sides between 0.625 inch (16mm) and 1.5 inches (38mm) down from the top or crown of the cross section. The indentation shall be a minimum of 0.25 inch (6mm) deep on each side and shall be at least 0.5 inch (13 mm)high. Edges within the handgrip shall have a minimum radius of 0.0625 inch (2 mm). The handrail surface shall be smooth with no cusps so as to avoid catching clothing or skin.

- $(1[\frac{5}{6}])$  In Section 321.3.2 Exception 1.1 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- 1.1 By a horizontal distance of not less than the width of a stud space regardless of stud spacing, or
- (17) Section R403.1.4 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- R403.1.4 Minimum depth. All exterior footings shall be placed at least 12 inches (305 mm) below the undisturbed ground. Where applicable, the depth of footings shall also conform to Section R403.1.4.1.
- R403.1.4.1 Frost Protection. Except where otherwise protected from frost, foundation walls, piers and other permanent supports of buildings and structures shall be protected from frost by one or more of the following methods:
  - 1. Extended below the frost line specified in Table

### R301.2(1);

- 2. Constructed in accordance with Section R403.3;
- 3. Constructed in accordance with ASCE 32-01; and
- 4. Erected on solid rock.

### Exceptions:

- 1. Freestanding accessory structures, not intended for human occupancy, with an area of 1,000 square feet (93m<sup>2</sup>) or less, of wood framed construction, with an eave height of 10 feet (3080 mm) or less shall not be required to be protected.
- 2. Decks not supported by a dwelling need not be provided with footings that extend below frost line.

Footings shall not bear on frozen soil unless such frozen condition is of a permanent character.

 $(1[\frac{6}{7}])$  Section R403.1.6.1 is deleted and replaced with the following:

R403.1.6.1 Foundation anchorage in Seismic Design Categories  $D_1$  and  $D_2$ . In addition to the requirements of Section R403.1.6, the following requirements shall apply to light-wood frame structures in Seismic Design Categories  $D_1$  and  $D_2$ . Anchor bolts shall be located within 12 inches (305 mm) from the ends of each plate section at interior bearing walls, interior braced wall lines and at all exterior walls. Plate washers a minimum of 2 inches by 2 inches by 3/16 inch (51 mm by 4.8 mm) thick shall be used on each bolt.

# Exceptions:

- a. When anchor bolt spacing does not exceed 32 inches (816 mm) apart, anchor bolts may be placed with a minimum of two bolts per plate section located not less than 4 inches (102 mm) from each end of each plate section at interior bearing walls, interior braced wall lines and at all exterior walls.
- b. When anchor bolt spacing does not exceed 32 inches (816 mm) apart, a properly sized round washer may be used.

The maximum anchor bolt spacing shall be 4 feet (1219 mm) for two-story structures.

(1[7]8) Section R703.6 is deleted and replaced with the following:

R703.6 Exterior plaster.

R703.6.1 Lath. All lath and lath attachments shall be of corrosion-resistant materials. Expanded metal or woven wire lath shall be attached with 1 1/2 inch-long (38 mm), 11 gage nails having 7/16 inch (11.1 mm) head, or 7/8-inch-long (22.2 mm), 16 gage staples, spaced at no more than 6 inches (152 mm), or as otherwise approved.

R703.6.2 Weather-resistant barriers. Weather-resistant barriers shall be installed as required in Section R703.2 and, where applied over wood-based sheathing, shall include a weather-resistive vapor permeable barrier with a performance at least equivalent to two layers of Grade D paper.

R703.6.3 Plaster. Plastering with portland cement plaster shall be not less than three coats when applied over metal lath or wire lath and shall be not less than two coats when applied over masonry, concrete or gypsum backing. If the plaster surface is completely covered by veneer or other facing material or is completed concealed, plaster application need be only two coats, provided the total thickness is as set forth in Table R702.1(1). On wood-frame construction with an on-grade floor slab system, exterior plaster shall be applied in such a manner as to cover, but not extend below, lath, paper and screed.

The proportion of aggregate to cementitious materials shall be as set forth in Table R702.1(3).

 $(1[\frac{8}{9}])$  In Section R703.7 Stone and masonry veneer, general the following exceptions are added:

# Exceptions:

- 3. For detached one- or two-family dwellings with a maximum nominal thickness of 4 inches (102 mm) of exterior masonry veneer with a backing of wood frame located in Seismic Design Category  $D_1$ , the masonry veneer shall not exceed 20 feet (6096 mm) in height above a noncombustible foundation, with an additional 8 feet (2438 mm) permitted for gabled ends, or 30 feet (9144 mm) in height with an additional 8 feet (2438 mm) permitted for gabled ends where the lower 10 feet (3048 mm) has a backing of concrete or masonry wall, provided the following criteria are met:
- (a) Braced wall panels shall be constructed with a minimum of 7/16 inch (11.1 mm)thick sheathing fastened with 8d common nails at 4 inches (102 mm) on center on panel edges and at 12 inches (305 mm) on center on intermediate supports.
- (b) The bracing of the top story shall be located at each end and at least every 25 feet (7620 mm) on center but not less than 45% of the braced wall line. The bracing of the first story shall be as provided in Table R602.10.3.
- (c) Hold down connectors shall be provided at the ends of braced walls for the second floor to first floor wall assembly with an allowable design of 2100 lbs (952.5 kg). Hold down connectors shall be provided at the ends of each wall segment of the braced walls for the first floor to foundation assembly with an allowable design of 3700 lbs. (1678 kg). In all cases, the hold down connector force shall be transferred to the foundation.
  - (d) Cripple walls shall not be permitted.
- 4. For detached one- and two-family dwellings with a maximum actual thickness of 3 inches (76 mm) of exterior masonry veneer with a backing of wood frame located in Seismic Design Category  $D_2$ , the masonry veneer shall not exceed 20 feet (6096 mm) in height above a noncombustible foundation, with an additional 8 feet (2438 mm) permitted for gabled ends, or 30

- feet (9144 mm) in height with an additional 8 feet (2438 mm) permitted for gabled ends where the lower 10 feet (3048 mm)has a backing of concrete on masonry wall, provided the following criteria are met:
- (a) Braced wall panels shall be constructed with a minimum of 7/16 inch (11.1 mm)thick sheathing fastened with 8d common nails at 4 inches (102 mm) on center on panel edges and at 12 inches (305 mm) on center on intermediate supports.
- (b) The bracing of the top story shall be located at each end and at least every 25 feet (7620 mm) on center but not less than 55% of the braced wall line. The bracing of the first story shall be as provided in Table R602.10.3.
- (c) Hold down connectors shall be provided at the ends of braced walls for the second floor to first floor wall assembly with an allowable design of 2300 lbs (1043 kg). Hold down connectors shall be provided at the ends of each wall segment of the braced walls for the first floor to foundation assembly with an allowable design of 3900 lbs. (1769 kg). In all cases, the hold down connector force shall be transferred to the foundation.
  - (d) Cripple walls shall not be permitted.
  - ([19]20) Section P2602.2 is added as follows:
- P2602.2 Individual water supply. Where a potable public water supply is not available, individual sources of potable water supply shall be utilized provided that the source has been developed in accordance with Sections 73-3-1 and 73-3-25, Utah Code Ann. (1953), as amended, as administered by the Department of Natural Resources, Division of Water Rights. In addition, the quality of the water shall be approved by the local health department having jurisdiction.
  - $(2[\theta]1)$  Section P2602.3 is added as follows:
- P2602.3 Sewer required. Every building in which plumbing fixtures are installed and all premises having drainage piping shall be connected to a public sewer where the sewer is within 300 feet of the property line in accordance with Section 10-8-38, Utah Code Ann, (1953), as amended; or an approved private sewage disposal system in accordance with Rule R317-5501 through R317-513 and Rule R317-5, Utah Administrative Code, as administered by the Department of Environmental Quality, Division of Water Quality.
- $(2[\pm]\underline{2})$  Section P2603.2.1 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- P2603.2.1 Protection against physical damage. In concealed locations where piping, other than cast-iron or galvanized steel, is installed through holes or notches in studs, joists, rafters, or similar members less than 1 1/2 inch (38 mm) from the nearest edge of the member, the pipe shall be protected by shield plates. Protective shield plates shall be a minimum of

1/16 inch-thick (1.6 mm) steel, shall cover the area of the pipe where the member is notched or bored, and shall be at least the thickness of the framing member penetrated.

 $(2[\frac{2}{3}]3)$  Section P2710.1 is deleted and replaced with the following:

P2710.1 Finished. Shower walls shall be finished in accordance with Section R307.2.

 $(2[\frac{3}{2}]4)$  Section P2801. $[\frac{2}{2}]7$  is added as follows:

P2801.[2]7 Water heater seismic bracing. In Seismic Design Categories C,  $D_1$  and  $D_2$ , water[Water] heaters shall be anchored or strapped in the upper third of the appliance to resist a horizontal force equal to one third the operating weight of the water heater, acting in any horizontal direction, or in accordance with the appliance manufacturers recommendations.

(2[4]5) Section P2902.1.1 is added as follows:

P2902.1.1 Backflow assembly testing. The premise owner or his designee shall have backflow prevention assemblies operation tested at the time of installation, repair and relocation and at least on an annual basis thereafter, or more frequently as required by the authority having jurisdiction. Testing shall be performed by a Certified Backflow Preventer Assembly Tester. The assemblies that are subject to this paragraph are the Spill Resistant Vacuum Breaker, the Pressure Vacuum Breaker Assembly, the Double Check Backflow Prevention Assembly, the Double Check Detector Assembly Backflow Preventer, the Reduced Pressure Principle Backflow Preventer, and Reduced Pressure Detector Assembly, and the spring loaded check valve assembly described in amended Section 608.16.4 of the International Plumbing Code.

 $(2[\frac{5}{6}]6)$  Section P2903.9.3 is deleted and replaced with the following:

P2903.9.3 Valve requirements. Valves serving individual fixtures, appliances, risers, and branches shall be provided with access. An individual shutoff valve shall be required on the water supply pipe to each water closet, lavatory, kitchen sink, and appliance.

(2[6]7) Section P3003.2.1 is added as follows:

Section P3003.2.1 Improper Connections. No drain, waste, or vent piping shall be drilled and tapped for the purpose of making connections.

(2[7]8) In Section P3103.6, the following sentence is added at the end of the paragraph:

Vents extending through the wall shall terminate not less than 12 inches from the wall with an elbow pointing downward.

(2[8]9) In Section P3104.4, the following sentence is added at the end of the paragraph:

Horizontal dry vents below the flood level rim shall be permitted for floor drain and floor sink installations when installed below grade in accordance with Chapter 30, and

Sections P3104.2 and P3104.3. A wall cleanout shall be provided in the vertical vent.

 $([\frac{29}{30}]30)$  Chapter 43, Referenced Standards, is amended as follows:

The following reference standard is added:

#### TABLE

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(31) A new Section G2411.9 is added as follows:

G2411.9 Meter location. Gas meters shall be located so as to be protected from physical damage, including ice and snow falling from roofs.

#### R156-56-712. Local Amendments to the IRC.

The following are adopted as amendments to the IRC to be applicable to the following jurisdictions:

(1) City of Farmington:

Sections R328.1 and R328.2 are added as follows:

R328.1 When required. An automatic sprinkler system shall be installed throughout every dwelling in accordance with NFPA 13-D, when any of the following conditions are present:

- 1. the structure is over two stories high, as defined by the building code;
- 2. the nearest point of structure is more than 150 feet from the public way;
- 3. the total floor area of all stories is over 5,000 square feet (excluding from the calculation the area of the basement and/or garage); or
- 4. the structure is located on a street constructed after March 1, 2000 that has a gradient over 12% and, during fire department response, access to the structure will be gained by using such street. (If the access is intended to be from a direction where the steep gradient is not used, as determined by the Chief, this criteria shall not apply).
- R328.2 Installation requirements and standards. Such sprinkler system shall be installed in basements, but need not be installed in garages, under eves or in enclosed attic spaces, unless required by the Chief. Such system shall be installed in accordance with NFPA 13-D.

(2) Morgan City Corp:

Section R105.2 Work Exempt From Permit, the following is added:

- 10. Structures intended to house farm animals, or for the storage of feed associated with said farm animals when all the following criteria is met:
- a. The parcel of property involved is zoned for the keeping of farm animals or has grand fathered animal rights.
- b. The structure is setback not less than 50 feet from the rear or side of dwellings, and not less than 10 feet from property lines and other structures.
- c. The structure does not exceed 1000 square feet of floor area, and is limited to 20 feet in height. Height is measured from the average grade to the highest point of the structure.
- d. Before construction, a site plan is submitted to, and approved by the building official.

Electrical, plumbing, and mechanical permits shall be required when that work is included in the structure.

(3) Morgan County:

Section R105.2 Work Exempt From Permit, the following is added:

- 10. Structures intended to house farm animals, or for the storage of feed associated with said farm animals when all the following criteria is met:
- a. The parcel of property involved is zoned for the keeping of farm animals or has grand fathered animal rights.
- b. The structure is set back not less than required by the Morgan County Zoning Ordinance for such structures, but not less than 10 feet from property lines and other structures.
- c. The structure does not exceed 1000 square feet of floor area, and is limited to 20 feet in height. Height is measured from the average grade to the highest point of the structure.
- d. Before construction, a Land Use Permit must be applied for, and approved, by the Morgan County Planning and Zoning Department.

Electrical, plumbing, and mechanical permits shall be required when that work is included in the structure.

(4) City of North Salt Lake:

Sections R328.1 and R328.2 are added as follows:

R328.1 When Required. An automatic sprinkler system shall be installed throughout every dwelling when the following condition is present:

1. The structure is over 6,200 square feet.

R328.2 Installation requirements and standards. Such sprinkler system shall be installed in basements, but need not be installed in garages, under eves, or in enclosed attic spaces, unless required by the fire chief. Such system shall be installed in accordance with NFPA 13-D.

(5) Park City Corporation and Park City Fire District:
Section R905.7 is deleted and replaced with the following:
R905.7 Wood shingles. The installation of wood shingles
shall comply with the provisions of this section.

Wood roof covering is prohibited in areas with a combined rating of more than 11 using the following tables with a score of 9 for weather factors.

# TABLE WILDFIRE HAZARD SEVERITY SCALE

RATING	SLOPE	VEGETATION
1	less than or equal	to 10% Pinion-juniper
2	10.1 - 20%	Grass-sagebrush
3	greater than 20%	Mountain brush or softwoods

#### PROHIBITION/EXEMPTION TABLE

RATING WOOD ROOF PROHIBITION less than or equal to 11 wood roofs are allowed greater than or equal to 12 wood roofs are prohibited

Section R905.8 is deleted and replaced with the following: R905.8 Wood Shakes. The installation of wood shakes shall comply with the provisions of this section. Wood roof covering is prohibited in areas with a combined rating of more than 11 using the following tables with a score of 9 for weather factors.

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Appendix K is adopted.

58-56-1 58-56-4(2) 58-56-6(2)(a)

#### Other Persons (R156-56)

It is impossible to estimate the impact on either individuals or aggregate impact, because the cost may vary depending on the type of project involved. Overall the proposed amendments do not appear to add substantially to costs of construction. Many of the amendments will allow savings. The estimated item by item impact to owners of building projects is estimated as follows:

1.R156-56-302 and R156-56-701. Name change ICBO to ICC. No impact.

### 2. Changes to the International Building Code in R156-56-704:

Section 310.1. Boarding houses requirements. Substantial cost savings in complying to new requirements. Could vary from several hundred to a few thousand dollars per project.

Section 1607.1. Live loads on decks. In many cases there would be no additional costs. In large decks cost could increase by \$0.20 per square foot of deck.

Section 1608.1. Correct elevations. No impact.

Section 1805.21. Footing requirements for small freestanding buildings. Saving could vary from zero up to as much as \$1,000 for freestanding garage.

Section 2902.1 Diaper changing stations are not required in any building. Therefore, this change does result in a mandatory cost to any owner to include the diaper changing facilities in a mens restroom as well as a ladies restroom. The Division is unable to determine an exact cost as it may vary greatly from project to project.

3. Changes to the International Building Code in R156-56-705 which only apply to certain local jurisdictions include the following:

Park City and Park City Fire District: Change allowing wood roof in certain applications.

This allows certain business owners to choose another option which may provide a certain look however the cost of the option may in fact cost more to owners. Impact for required code is none while optional changes which are costs to be incurred at the discretion of the owner may be substantial.

4. Changes to the International Plumbing Code in R156-56-707 include the following:

Section 202, Defining S-traps. No impact.

Section 305.5, Pipes passing through footings or foundation. Savings vary from no impact up to a potential savings of \$20 for each time a pipe passes through a foundation.

Section 403.1 Diaper changing stations are not required in any building. Therefore, this change does result in a mandatory cost to any owner to include the diaper changing facilities in a mens restroom as well as a ladies restroom. The Division is unable to determine an exact cost as it may vary greatly from project to project.

Section 406.3 Clothes washers directly connection to the drainage system. There are no additional costs or savings. This simply allows another option for drainage.

Section 406. 4, Safe pans for clothes washers. No impact on installation costs but cost savings of repairing failures could be substantial.

Section 412.5, Floor drain requirements. No impact.

Section 417.5.2, Shower liners. No impact or minor additional costs.

Section 424.5 Clarifying water heater temperature. The additional cost to mix water would be minimal.

Section 502.4, Coordinate requirements for water heaters with the International Fuel Gas Code. No impact.

Section 504.6.2, Relief valve discharge piping. No impact.

Section 608.15.4.2 Plumbing requirements for urinals. No additional cost. This is already required but is simply clarified.

Sections 608.16.4, 608.16.4.1, and 608.16.4.1 Connections to automatic fire sprinklers system and use of chemical additives. Impact unknown. It has been argued both ways, that this alternative is both less costly or more costly than the current requirements.

Section 1002.4.1, Emergency floor drains. No impact.

5. Changes to the IFGC in R156-56-709 include the following:

Section 401.9 clarifies gas meter locations. Damages to meters have been caused when protection is not provided. There will be some minor addition costs that cannot be determined, but costs are likely offset in the long term with savings prevented repairing damages to meters.

6. Changes to the IECC in R156-56-710 include the following: Section 504.7 prohibits heat traps in water heaters. There is no cost or savings from this requirement.

7. Changes to the International Residential Code in R156-56-711 include the following: Section R301.4, Live loads on decks. In many cases there would be no additional costs. In large decks cost could increase by \$0.20 per square foot of deck.

Section R403.1.4, Footing requirements for small freestanding buildings. Saving could vary from zero up to as much as \$1,000 for freestanding garage.

Section P2801.7 Deletes seismic bracing of water heaters. Savings by deleting this requirement is about \$50 per home affected. This change only applies to a very limited part of the state.

8. Changes to the International Residential Code Section R156-56-712, which only apply to certain local jurisdictions include the following: The Park City amendment is changed to also apply to the Park City Fire District, which was inadvertently left out of prior amendment. No impact.

Section G2411.9 Clarifies gas meter locations. Damages to meters have been caused when protection is not provided. There will be some minor addition costs that cannot be determined, but costs are likely offset in the long term with savings prevented repairing damages to meters.